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ITALIAN CLAIM FOR FRENCH TERRITORIES

Press Attacks Grow

ROME, Dec. 4. WITH UNSLACKENING vigour the press continues its attacks on France, and demands a further development of the Munich agreement to Italy's advantage.

Both the "Popolo di Roma," and Signor Gayda in "Voce d'Italia" scout the idea that Italy can be satisfied with the Franco-Italian agreement of 1935.

Gayda says that Italy has a right to intervene in certain directions to re-establish an equilibrium so necessary, right and proper now that she has conquered Ethiopia.—*Reuter*.

BRITISH ENVOY SEE CIANO

London, Dec. 4. Count Ciano is understood to have informed both the British and French Ambassadors yesterday that he was unable to take responsibility for the shouts of individual Deputies.

It is learned that Lord Perth saw Count Ciano twice yesterday and enquired regarding the significance to be attached to the incident in the Chamber.

In the second conversation, says *Reuter's* diplomatic correspondent, it was presumed that Lord Perth referred to the Anglo-Italian pact provision which stipulates that neither Power wishes for alteration in the territorial status quo of the Western Mediterranean.

It was gathered to-night that there was no reason to believe that Italy has any intention of not standing by the terms of the agreement.—*Reuter*.

FIRM STAND BY FRANCE

Paris, Dec. 4. The firm and prompt reaction in France and among the populations of Corsica and Tunis to the Italian demonstrations, coupled with Count Ciano's reply to the French representations, are considered here to have closed the recent incident unless the problem is raised officially or the Italian press campaign again becomes violent.

Le Temps points out that while the Italian press refers to the Franco-Italian agreement of 1935 as non-existent, it does not mention that under the agreement France cedes certain territories to Italy, namely Southern Libya, and the island of Dumeira.

Thirty-five thousand persons in Ajaccio demonstrated in favour of France to-day. Marching in a column over a mile long behind the Mayor and Municipal Councilors, and shouting "Vive Corse," "Vive France," they marched towards the Italian Consulate outside of the town, where they were stopped by a large force of police.

A big demonstration similarly arranged in Bastia proceeded off quietly. French and vernacular newspapers in Tunis continue to protest against the Italian demonstration. Telegrams and letters expressing loyalty to France, are pouring in to the Resident-General.—*Reuter*.

HIGH PRICE FOR FRIENDSHIP

Rome, Dec. 4. Italy's claims to Tunis are regarded as one of the chief clues on which the chances of her sinking her differences with France depend.

The success Italy considers she achieved as arbiter at Munich and Vienna, and her confidence in German support, and the feeling of security given her by the completion of the Anglo-Italian agreement, has combined to make Italy set a high price for the resumption of the Franco-Italian talks.

It is noteworthy that French occupation of Tunis was the determining factor in Italy's decision to ally herself with Germany, Austria and Hungary in 1932.

Out of a total European population in Tunis of 213,000, some 108,000 are French and 94,000 Italians, including naturalised Italians.

Italy would now like not merely to regain the rights held by Italians in Tunis surrendered under the Laval agreement of 1935, which Italy con-



DR. C. T. WANG, former Chinese Ambassador to the United States, has returned to Hongkong by Pan American Clipper yesterday.—*Staff Photographer*.

Jews Must Wear A Yellow Badge

BERLIN, Dec. 4. IT IS RELIABLY STATED that a decree will be issued shortly compelling Jews of both sexes, when outdoors, to wear a yellow badge inscribed with the star of David.

Meanwhile economic pressure for payment of the milliard-mark levy is inexorably continuing, and the car prohibition decree came in the nature of an anti-climax, as hardly any Jews are in an economic position to drive cars, and some cars are being sold for practically nothing.

One Jewish professional man "voluntarily" sold his car costing £1,500 for less than £1, and another sold two cars for £1.

The German Official Agency, in issuing the text of the car decree, commented: "With this new defence measure against Jewish arrogance the Nazi State has given expression to the healthy feeling of justice of the German people. Until now the German people have borne with unparalleled forbearance the sight of Jews enjoying the advantage of Herr Hitler's roads, built by the hands of German workmen.—*Reuter Special*.

RABBIS TO LEAVE

Jerusalem, Dec. 4. The Government has issued 30 permits for the immigration of German rabbis.

The permits were granted at the request of the Chief Rabbi of Palestine.—*Reuter*.

PRESIDENT'S SON JOINS THE FILMS

Hollywood, Dec. 4. The President's son, Mr. James Roosevelt, announces his acceptance of a position with the film industry as Vice-Chairman of Samuel Goldwyn.

Until his retirement last month, James Roosevelt served as his father's private secretary.—*Reuter*.

DUKE OF KENT FOR NORWAY

London, Dec. 4. It is officially stated that the Duke of Kent will represent the King at the funeral of Queen Maud of Norway in Oslo on Thursday, as a result of the rumouring accident sustained by the Duke of Gloucester.—*Reuter*.

Guerillas Battle In Canton

CANTON, Dec. 4. WHILE THE JAPANESE military authorities clamped strict Martial Law throughout Canton to-day, refusing permission for foreigners to leave Shameen, gunfire became increasingly noticeable.

From authoritative sources I learn that a band of Chinese soldiers, in plain clothes, broke into the city near the Goddess of Mercy temple shortly after midnight.

A battle developed near the compound housing the Japanese garrison, and consulate near the Flowery Pagoda. Hand grenades being freely employed by the Chinese.

Casualties are unknown, the Japanese admitting that one soldier was killed.

The sortie was followed by an unprecedented mopping up campaign by the Japanese this morning, the entire city being searched for guerillas. Any armed men discovered by the Japanese were summarily dealt with.

Japanese firms which had reopened in the native city are reported to have closed their premises. Their staffs came into Shameen this morning.—*Our Own Correspondent*.

Japan To Buy Three Condor Type Planes

TOKYO, Dec. 4. According to the "Nichi Nichi," a contract will be signed shortly between the Japan Aviation Company and the German Fockewulf Aircraft Company for the purchase of three German monoplanes, sister-craft of the Condor plane which recently flew from Berlin to Tokyo in record time.

The cost of the machines will be 800,000 yen each. Payment will be made in kind, including soya beans.—*Reuter*.

ITALIAN PLANES SET 5 RECORDS

ROME, Dec. 4. FIVE NEW WORLD records for speed, with increased loads up to 2,000 kilograms, were established by Italian army aeroplanes to-day, a three-engined bombing plane of the "Atholi" type being used.

The Italian plane, piloted by Lieut-Colonel Angelo Tondi, recorded speeds of 470 kilometres per hour.

The plane started at 8.47 a.m. from the military aerodrome at Montecelio, near Rome, and established records on the route to Marinella, Naples and Montonilio.—*Frank-Ocean*.

Soviet Seamen Arrested, Claim Ill-Treatment

MOSCOW, Dec. 4. Allegations of the arrest and ill-treatment of eleven Soviet fishermen, picked up in the sea by two Japanese vessels, have aroused public indignation here.

According to the Soviet authorities, the ship-wrecked mariners, after being arrested and ill-treated, were held to effect an exchange for frontier violators detained by the Soviet, instead of being assisted to return home.—*Reuter*.

6,000 MILLION YEN WAR BUDGET

Tokyo, Dec. 4. Financial circles here predict that Japan's special military budget for the year ending March, 1940, will probably reach 6,000,000,000 yen.

Of this, 4,000,000,000 yen will be allotted to the War Office, and the total will exceed the current year's appropriation by 743,000,000 yen.—*Reuter*.

Ships Tied Up In Le Havre

Paris, Dec. 4. Five thousand dockers and seamen at Le Havre are involved in a strike against M. Daladier's requisitioning order.

Twenty French ships, including the Normandie, and all trans-Atlantic tugs have been immobilised.—*Reuter*.

MEXICAN ACE SETS RECORD

Mexico City, Dec. 3. Captain Francis Sarabia, one of Mexico's air aces, lowered the record for the "hop" from Los Angeles to Mexico City in 2.13 p.m., having completed the 1,050 miles journey from Los Angeles in 6 hours 34 minutes non-stop.—*United Press*.



INTERVIEWED BY THE STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER HE SAID... One of the 94 ponies landed in Hongkong from North China last week seems to be expressing his views rather forcibly on his trip from war torn China to peaceful Hongkong.

Stalemate Ends War In North China

CHUNGKING, Dec. 5. WAR PACE in south Hunan along the Canton-Hankow Railway and at central Hupeh along the Hankow-Ichang highway which was slowed down since a fortnight ago has now been further slackened to practically a stalemate with the invaders busily digging in to prevent Chinese counter-attacks.

At south Hunan, the Japanese are held up on the railway and along the Hupeh-Hunan highway within a radius of thirty kilometres from Yu-yang, while in central Hupeh the Japanese spearhead is about 100 kilometres west of Hankow.

Along the Tungting Lake, where Japanese gunboats had been most active two weeks ago, the place is described in military messages received here as quiet with occasional visits by Japanese planes doing reconnaissance work.

A message from Changteh stated severe artillery duel raged in the vicinity of Yoyang on the morning of December 3 and lasted throughout the day. At Chenlingki, just above Yoyang on the neck of the Tungting Lake, a big fire was reported raging.

In central Hupeh, strongly held Chinese positions defied further Japanese westward thrust from Cheho, Klingshan and Tsao-shih.

The main force of the Japanese troops along this line, fearing constant guerilla nagging and harassing from their hideouts along the Taipei Mountains, have been withdrawn to Hankow.

Throughout the extended Japanese line from Sinyang in south Honan, Chinese guerilla activities have been increasing following the recapture of Leshan and Hwangchuan. Japanese forces at Sinyang, according to a report from Chungking, are subject to constant raids by these partisans.

To the east of the Canton-Hankow Railway along the Nanchang-Klu-kiang line, the opposing forces remain at their mutual positions across the Siu River.—*Central News*.

LATE NEWS

SHOOTING AFFRAY: MAN IN COURT

17-Year-Old Girl Charged With Arms Possession

The sensational shooting affray on Saturday morning, as a result of which Lance Sergeant H. R. Terret lies in hospital dangerously wounded with a bullet in his throat, took a dramatic turn this morning.

At the Central Magistracy, three charges were preferred against S. L. Wong, alias Wong Wan. He was charged:

- (a) Wounding, or causing grievous bodily harm, with intent to murder, Herbert Ramsay Terret;
- (b) Shooting, with intent to do grievous bodily harm;
- (c) Being in possession of an unlicensed automatic pistol and one round of ammunition.

A 17-year-old Chinese girl, Chan Sit-kwan, was arraigned with (Further Late News on Page 13.)

TWO-FACED PHOTOGRAPHY UNMASKS THE FAMOUS

Phrenologists have been putting two and two together. At the Kingsway Hall recently the Phrenological Society showed lantern slide pictures of the illustrious—

Unretouched pictures, but each a face made with the left side duplicated on the right, or the right side duplicated on the left.

Most remarkable were the pictures of Goebbels. One pair gave him a depraved face; the other pair made him look like a saint.

Explanation of this experiment, given by Mr. E. W. Cousins, the Society's president, is that "the left side of the face reveals the conscious and the right side the unconscious content of the mind."

Heads and faces, Mr. Cousins declared, were just as accurate guides to identity as finger-prints. Phrenologists had examined millions of heads and never found two alike.

LACKS VISION

Here are some of the "head portraits" given by Mr. Cousins from photographs shown on the screen:

Chamberlain: Very high type of business man, but lacking in the vision necessary for a statesman. In the present critical period, if England is to be safeguarded, he should co-operate with a man who can see the consequences of action decades instead of mere months in advance. He has a practical material outlook; but no great imagination.

Hitler: More than any other leader to-day, in ruler by the unconscious. "Vernon Barlett shrewdly remarked Hitler's habit of muttering during interviews—a sign of the hypnotic strain in him." Relies on hypnotic power of his voice. A menace to the world, because vain, cruel, destructive, aggressive, resentful of control, and capable of steadily working out a plan before acting. Strongly appreciative of the opposite sex.

"MAN OF DREAD"

Goebbels: In some ways superior to his chief. "A veritable man of dread." Cruel, secretive, shrewd, unscrupulous. Great executive ability. Mask of pleasantness deliberately assumed.

Eden: More persistent than firm. Cautious. Vivid imagination and remarkable gifts, but a mental dilator. Vital force weak in comparison with fine intellect. Too good looking for politics.

Mussolini: Full of fear and inhibitions camouflaged by bluster. Much higher intellectual capacity than Hitler. Has not made the most of his gift. But for this might be saviour instead of destroyer of other nations.

Highest Ever Man To Marry

A high-speed romance between Britain's highest-flying R.A.F. pilot and a United States debutante from Washington was followed by their wedding in a quiet Hampshire market town recently, barely three months after their first meeting.

The romance—between 35-year-old Squadron Leader F. D. R. Swain, who two years ago flew nearly 9½ miles above the earth, and 21-year-old Miss Sally Mitchell Le Fevre, daughter of a famous Washington family—began when Squadron Leader Swain visited the United States in August.

Their engagement was announced before his return to England, and his bride-to-be crossed the Atlantic a few weeks later to meet his mother for the first time.

JUST HIS JOB

"Your aviators certainly don't waste any time," said the bride. "Our wedding was quiet because my father is ill at home, and he and mother couldn't come over."

"My sister was here, though, and she was my matron-of-honour." She declared that she has no worries about her bridegroom's flying exploits.

"If he has to make more record flights I guess that will be just part of his job," she said. "I'm very proud of his record."

Only Squadron Leader Swain's family attended the wedding at St. Joseph's Church, Havant. The bride was given away by Colonel J. Thwaytes, a cousin of the bridegroom.



Earl Stanhope, British Conservative, appointed to the post of First Lord of the Admiralty. He succeeds the high-spirited Alfred Duff Cooper who resigned during the Czecho-Slovakian crisis.

A MAGNIFICENT PROGRAMME GALAXY OF VARIETY STARS

The Royal Variety Performance is a great annual event. It is also a magnificent night out, with an atmosphere about it which other special performances cannot emulate.

For this is not like an ordinary all-stars show, in which players of great eminence descend for once in a way to play the sort of parts which would normally be beneath their notice, and in which they are not able to give their powers a chance. In this entertainment all the stars can twinkle their brightest, and the result is a blaze.

All the stars are of the same magnitude, of course. That would be bad programme-building, and the whole essence of this entertainment is that it shows us the music-hall at its best. But every turn has been selected to conform with the highest standard of quality.

In compliment to the Queen, there was a strong Scottish flavour about this year's programme. The Chief Scots were Miss Houston and Donald Stewart; and what a joy it was to encounter again Miss Houston's warm humanity and rich enjoyment of life. Here is one of the most likeable personalities on the variety stage, and would have taken her pretty near the top, even if she were not as clever as paint into the bargain.

She has courage, too. Not many people in front realised that she had strained a leg badly only the night before, or would have guessed that at the dress rehearsal in the afternoon she could hardly walk.

THE SCOTTISH NOTE

The Scottish note was sounded again by Ken Davidson and Hugh Forgie—so far, at any rate, as their names went—with their extraordinary badminton turn, and by the singers and dancers who accompanied Jack Payne's band. Also there were the Aberdonians, three women who did not seem to have a bone between them, and are a living denial of the idea that the people of Aberdeen are stiff.

The Crastonians, also, though they had a Spanish look when they first came on, finished up in kilts, which they wore with an accustomed air. There was nothing Scottish about Elsie and Doris Waters, however, whose Gert and Daisy had simply strolled in across Lambeth Bridge.

Evelyn Laye was in fine voice. Murray and Mooney have a good turn with a touch of originality to it. Richard Hearn's awful nightmare of having to dance the lancers with a set of invisible partners was good. And then there were Two Leslies, the Stuart Morgan Dancers, Les Allen, Hatton and Manners and the 24 Tiller Girls.

For finale the "Lambeth Walk"—a topical hit made to serve the purpose of getting a number of distinguished visitors (headed by Seymour Hicks and the Sisters Vanbrugh) together with the whole of the enormous cast on to the stage together and rounding the whole show off. Perhaps this was hardly fair to Lubbo Lane and the "Me and My Girl" Company, who were forced to go through a not very comprehensible scene torn bodily out of their play. But by that time the audience had been far too well entertained to worry about such matters. They were delighted and showed it in the usual manner.

Newsman Taught Thrift

Cleveland. William G. Lavelle, 35-year-old newspaperman who died here recently, had a well-developed sense of thrift. He invariably presented every new father in the city room a savings account book made out in the name of the new arrival—he himself having deposited the first dollar.



At left is the Duchess of Kent, as she appeared at the recent dedication of the pump rooms at Bath, England, to chat with one of the patients taking the cure for rheumatism. The Duchess will accompany her husband to Australia next year, when he becomes Governor General.

Priestly Flays Theatre Snobs

PROVINCIAL SNOBBERY IS ONE OF THE BIG OBSTACLES TO THE REVIVAL OF THE THEATRE IN BRITAIN. THIS IS THE OPINION OF MR. J. B. PRIESTLEY, WHO WITH TWO PLAYS NOW RUNNING IN LONDON AND OTHERS BEING ACTED ABROAD IS MAKING THIS A "PRIESTLEY SEASON."

"The time is ripe now for creating a new interest in the theatre," he said.

"Provincial snobs, who will go to see plays only when the cast contains big West End names, are the enemies of the movement."

"MY KNEES WERE A BIT SHAKY"

Norwich. Already 10-years-old Fenella Cushing, blue-eyed granddaughter of Norwich's Lord Mayor, is becoming known as "the little girl of the Court Circular."

For in that most exclusive of all chronicles, under the date-line "Sandringham, October 23, 1938," it is stated that "Miss Fenella Cushing had the honour of presenting a bouquet to the Queen."

In a dress of peach-coloured tulle, silk shoes, short socks, and a bandolier on her head, Fenella made her curtsy to the Queen, and handed her Majesty the bouquet, while thousands of Norwich citizens cheered.

The ceremony took place after the King had declared open their new city hall.

VERY THRILLING

Very rarely has the name of a small girl appeared in the Court Circular.

Schoolgirl Fenella does not at all grasp the importance of having her name included among all the dignitaries mentioned in the record of the King and Queen's visit to Norwich. But she does know that it is all very thrilling. Her grandfather, Councillor Charles Watling, genial dome-headed business man, thinks it is the nicest thing that has ever marked his long and busy civic career.

Fenella, hugging her knees and looking into the fire at her home, told about her experience. "I tried not to wobble when I curtsied to her Majesty," she said. "The curtsy part was all right, because I had been practising with my dancing mistress."

"But my knees were a bit shaky when I had to walk up that great big flight of steps in front of the City Hall to the stand where the King and Queen were."

"The Queen asked me how old I was, and when I told her she gave me such a nice smile."

Reginald Foort Feels "Insulted"

Mr. Reginald Foort, the organist, is angry with the Bolton Town Council, who have banned a concert which he was to have given in a local cinema.

"I take it as a personal insult," he said. "I have given concerts all over the country and I have never been treated like this before."

There was no suggestion of dance music or anything jazzy, and I was taking up Gwendolyn Garide and Bernard Ross, the singers with whom I gave 'Radio Song Sheet' recently.

The concert was timed to start at 8.15—well after the church services are over—and part of the proceeds would have gone to charity. I feel Bolton has no excuse for the shabby way they have treated me."

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In Book They Tried to Stop, Ex-Secretary Launches BITTER ATTACK ON RAMSAY MacDONALD

"Double-crossed the Cabinet"

That Ramsay MacDonald in the crisis of 1931 "double-crossed" both his Socialist Cabinet colleagues and the Conservative and Liberal leaders is the burden of a bitter and trenchant attack, published recently by his former Parliamentary Private Secretary, Mr. L. MacNeill Weir, the Socialist M. P. for Stirling.

The author wrote *The Tragedy of Ramsay MacDonald* (Secker and Warburg, 15s.) while his old chief was still Prime Minister of the National Government. But he has found publication "a difficult and even dangerous adventure":

"Persuasion was tried first. I was told the publication of a book attacking Mr. MacDonald and the National Government would not be tolerated. Later, persuasion developed into coercion."

Mr. MacNeill Weir states that he was threatened with libel actions and prosecution under the Official Secrets Act. One inquirer as to the delay in the appearance of the book was told that "the Prime Minister doesn't like it."

"SHOT AT"

The author saw Mr. MacDonald at Downing-street on the day the National Government was formed, and urged him to explain his actions at a meeting of the Parliamentary Labour Party next day. "The Prime Minister replied that he was returning to Lonsdale-street that afternoon. 'Do you think that I am going there to be shot at by those fellows?' he asked. He proceeded to justify his decision to form a National Government."

His main indictment was against the bankers—and foreign bankers at that. It was a bold thing for MacDonald to do—this charging of France and America with dictation. It was a gigantic bluff. He knew that he was running the risk of its being called on both sides of the Atlantic.

Mr. MacNeill Weir goes so far as to suggest that a telephone call put through to New York by Mr. MacDonald, while the rest of the Socialist Ministers were in the garden at No. 10, was a hoax.

"MISLEADING"

As a negotiator he was guilty, the

author contends, not only of suppression, but of perversion of the truth.

The most glaring instance of this was when MacDonald came to the Cabinet and declared that the Tory and Liberal leaders considered the £56,000,000 cuts provisionally agreed upon as absolutely inadequate, and demanded from £25,000,000 to £30,000,000 more, "the bulk of which must come from the unemployed."

This, as was discovered later, was a tale that both Sir Herbert Samuel and Mr. Neville Chamberlain vehemently repudiated in the House of Commons.

Equally misleading, according to Mr. MacNeill Weir, was the version which Mr. MacDonald gave to the Conservative and Liberal leaders of the Socialist Cabinet's attitude towards the cuts.

The author suggests that the idea of a National Government with himself at the head had been in Mr. MacDonald's mind for some time.

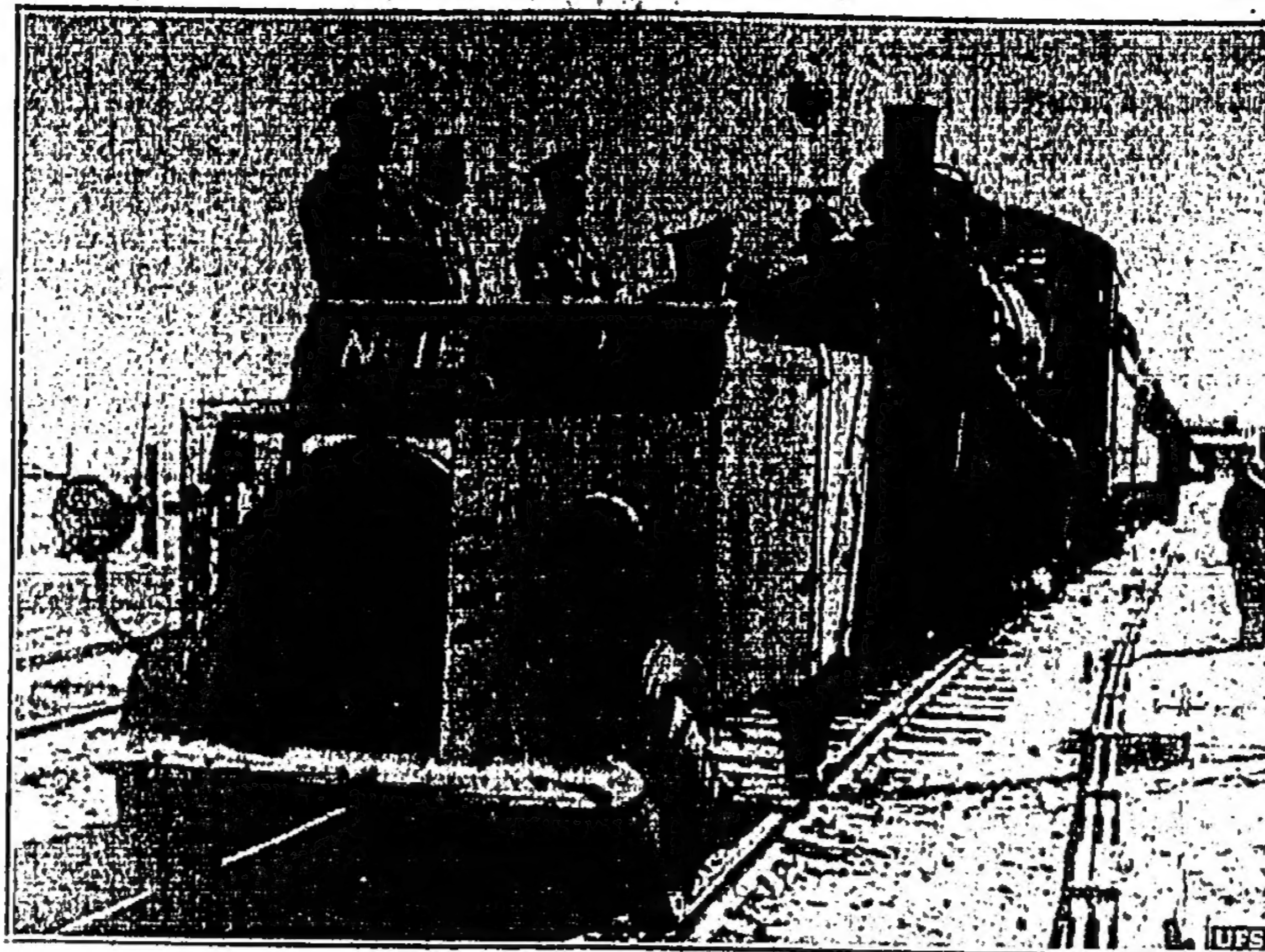
In 1929, just before the formation of the second Socialist Government, we are told that Mr. MacDonald secretly approached Lord (then Mr.) Baldwin in order to "make a deal with the Tories to keep Labour in office."

"UNPOPULAR"

Long before his Premiership ended, says Mr. MacNeill Weir, Mr. MacDonald had become most unpopular.

His reception, from both sides of the House, when he intervened in debate, was significant. It was definitely unfriendly, often discourteous, and sometimes contemptuous.

He went, and he wasn't kicked out. It may be that he stepped out one jump ahead of the kick. His biographer regards him as by



To clear railroad lines of mines laid by Arab terrorists in Palestine, armoured cars manned by Royal Engineers and Royal West Kent—nicknamed the "Suicide Squad"—are sent ahead of trains. A projected mine sweeper explodes the mines before the cars arrive directly over them. Above, an armoured car proceeds ahead of a train near Tulkarm.

nature a Conservative. "He never acted precipitately; he had always a hundred reasons for not acting at all."

IN PRIVATE LIFE

He claimed, says this bitter critic, to be a man of simple tastes and amiable habits.

In theory, he would enjoy the rural seclusion of a little village on the south coast. In reality, he hurried from it to the crowded beach at Brighton to make a "progress" along the promenade—the observed, of all observers.

The real MacDonald was much more of the Seabrite than the anchorite.

He had few friends. "It is difficult to think of any man looking on him with affection; it is impossible to think of him holding that affection long."

MacDonald trusted nobody. He had a feminine avidity for scandal, and with characteristic disloyalty, would listen to any aspersion or disparagement of his Ministers and colleagues.

From morning till night on most days he spent his time listening luxuriously to the "insult of complacency." In a surfeit of cynicism, the most precious hours of the day were passed. The evening, too, was often spent in the role of society lion in the salons of Mayfair.

The maxim *de mortuis nil nisi bonum* should not, the author thinks, be held to apply to the political conduct of a statesman. He has certainly not allowed it to modify his rancour against his former chief.

Student Nurses Can Use Lipstick

Girls whose ambition it is to take up nursing will be able to have a year's trial before adopting the profession under a new scheme announced by the West London Hospital recently.

The scheme is intended to attract more girls to the nursing profession. Non-resident students of nursing will be admitted to the hospital at the age of 17 for a three-terms course. They will wear overalls instead of uniforms, can wear any colour clothes they like, and use lipstick if they choose.

EMPIRE NEWS DAIRYING PROBLEM IN NEW ZEALAND

Auckland. Mr. McKenzie, chairman of Co-operative Dairies, in a speech drew attention to the fall in the production of primary commodities. The problem was becoming a serious one, he said, for on a long term view the basis for the prosperity of the Dominion was ever-increasing production.

Last season's output of the dairying business was six per cent. down, and the present season showed a 10 per cent. fall. The Province of Auckland was producing less lamb's wool. Dairying had suffered from the drought, the eczema epidemic, and shortage of farm labour. People would soon be going out of the dairy trade.

AUSTRALIA

SPEEDING UP AIR MAIL TRANSFERS

Sydney. An interesting experiment has been carried out which will make for greater speed in the transfer of air mails for Britain from New Zealand. These are now being transferred direct by tender from the incoming steamer from New Zealand to the flying boat lying in Rose Bay, the terminal in Sydney harbour of the Empire air service.

The New Zealand air mail for Britain, costing only 1½d. a half-ounce, is still larger than the air mail from Australia, where the postage is 3d. Australian firms are sending circulars to Britain by way of New Zealand and back. The total cost by this roundabout route is 3½d. The time taken is still much less than by the ordinary mail ship.

New Pacific Line.—A new direct cargo and passenger service is to be established between Northern Australian ports and the Pacific coast of America. The *Thor* 1, a new ship with a speed of 12 knots, is to leave San Francisco in January with general cargo, and is to be followed by another vessel in February.

Boom Defence Vessel.—The first of the three boom defence vessels being built at Cockatoo Island Dockyard, Sydney harbour, has been launched. The vessel, named *Kookaburra*—after the Australian bird commonly known as the "laughing jackass"—will be equipped to erect and operate submarine booms at the entrances of harbours.

INDIA

RIVAL KHANS IN FRONTIER WAR

Calcutta. Reports from the North-West Frontier of 100 casualties in a clash between rival Khans suggest that the war, an annual one among these inhabitants of a barren countryside, is more serious affair than in the past.

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"At the end of the year the girls will be able to choose whether they will take up nursing or not."

At present girls of 18 and over are taken for a three-months probationary period, after which they contract to continue their work.

Nawagal. Each hopes that the victor may gain a position of power and influence in Bajaur and adjoining tribal areas. The Government of India has made it clear to both parties that it desires an early peaceful settlement.

Birthday Amnesty.—On the occasion of the 27th birthday of the Maharaja of Travancore, amnesty has been granted to all political prisoners arrested during civil disobedience movement by the State Congress party.

KENYA

SCHEME TO INCREASE SETTLEMENT

Nairobi. Plans for increased white settlement in Kenya will shortly be before the Colony. A committee has been working for some months preparing a scheme. There is much less Crown land available now than formerly. The new scheme will be based on sub-division of present holdings.

A publicity expert has been engaged to spread a knowledge of Kenya conditions in Great Britain. During the depression Kenya lost 200 white settlers and 6,000 acres have gone out of European occupation.

UGANDA

RELIEF FOR COTTON GROWERS

Kampala. For the immediate relief of cotton growing in Uganda the Government Commission which is inquiring into the industry, in an interim report, recommends that the export duty should be reduced forthwith to 1c. per lb. The maximum ginning charge should be fixed for the ensuing season at 10c. 1½d. per lb. Reduction of buyers is suggested to put an end to the cheating and malpractices which have been all too common in the past.

INDIA

MR. MACKENZIE KING ON HOLIDAY

Kingsley. Mr. Mackenzie King, Prime Minister of Canada, arrived in Jamnain recently for a short holiday. During his stay he will probably study the conditions of trade between the Dominion and Jamnain, especially as the present treaty between Canada and the West Indies comes up for revision next year.

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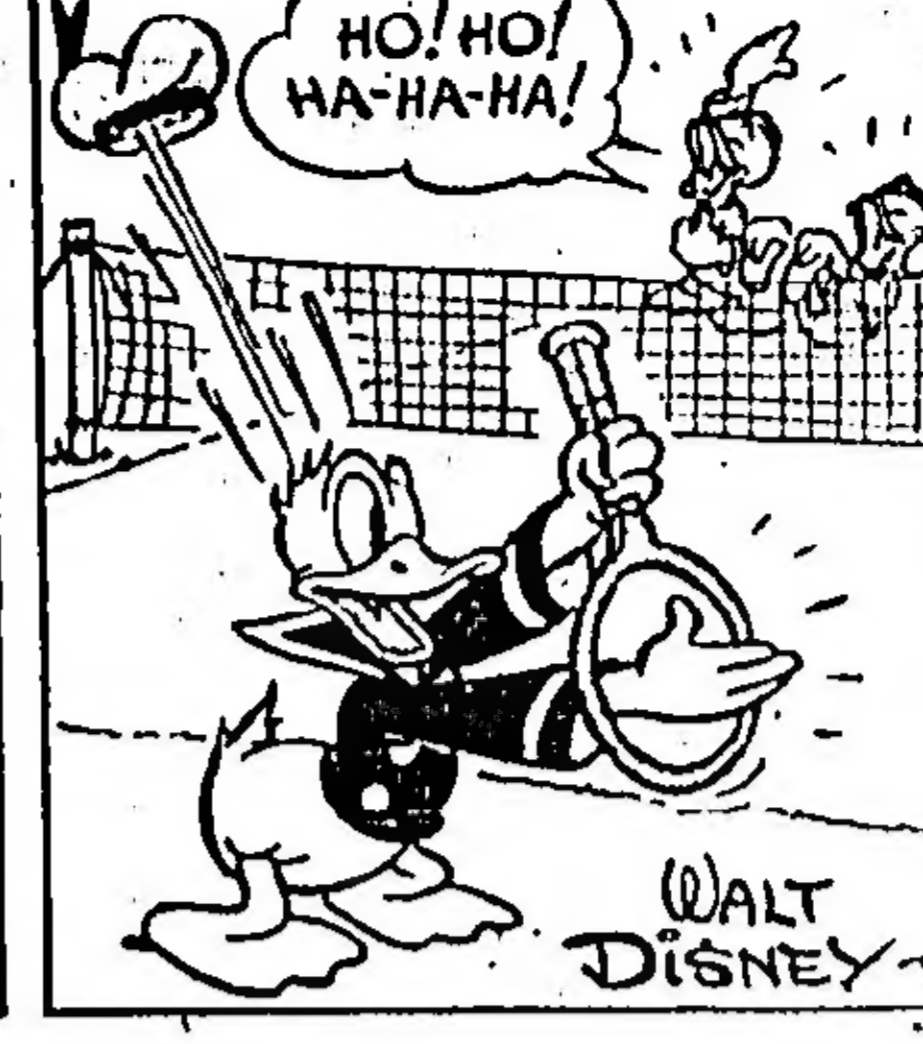
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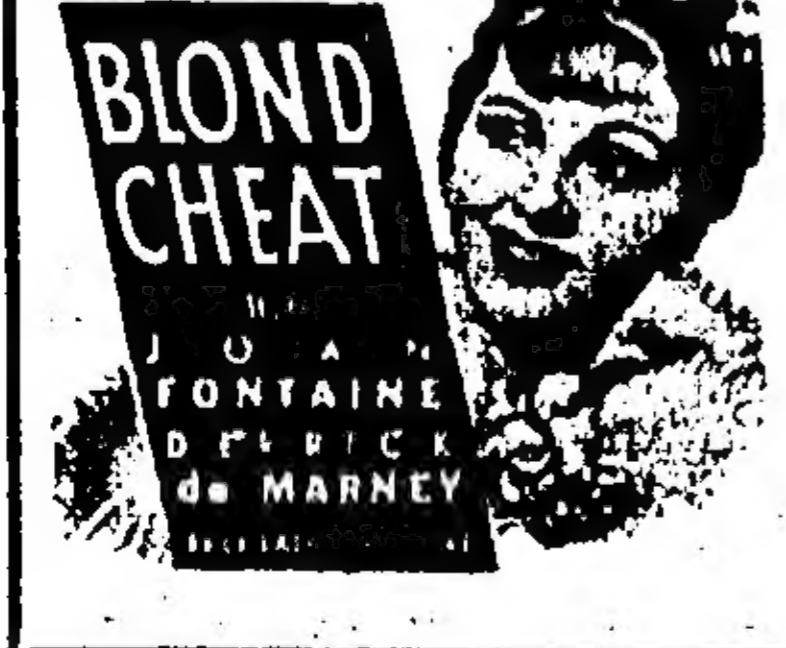
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An Argument Clinched

THE MISHAP to the air-liner Daedalus is the culmination of a series of accidents to the DH-86 types of planes employed on the Bangkok-Hongkong route, involving three of the four machines. Fortunately, the accidents have not been attendant with loss of life—the record for the Far East route, in fact, is one of the cleanest of any air route in the world.

The DH-86 machine seems a particularly unlucky type. It was twice banned in Australia following crashes with attendant loss of life.

Most of the mishaps—all, in fact, on the Bangkok-Hongkong service—have demonstrated the danger of take-off and landing in flying.

When the aeroplane is at flying height there is no danger and flying is much safer than travel on the ground. It is the first and last few seconds of an air journey that hold the greatest measure of risk.

If take-off and landing can be made safer in some way, then the number of mishaps will be greatly reduced.

In the case of the DH-86 planes, fire appears to be a hazard. The Dorado almost suffered the same fate as the Daedalus recently, when she caught fire at Kai Tak Airport.

The destruction of the Daedalus surely clinches the argument that Hongkong deserves more than obsolete planes on its vital Empire air route, especially when, in normal times, the British planes encounter the latest-type French, German and American machines at Kai Tak. Comparison is obvious and odious.

This Applies To Us

TWO little countries that own big colonial domains have been "speaking up." They are Belgium and Portugal.

Says M. Spaak, Prime Minister of Belgium, "We are firmly

THIS IS WHAT THE CENSORS

banned In Hongkong

TIME MARCHES ON

Censorship in Hongkong of the dialogue of the "Inside Nazi Germany" sequence of a "March of Time" film formed the subject of a question in the House of Commons last week.
To-day, the "Telegraph" publishes, without comment, the much-discussed dialogue, as taken from the script of the film.

IN THE FIVE YEARS

since Adolf Hitler took command over a people reduced to despair by World War defeat, and its aftermath of unemployment and poverty, he had dined into his people by constant repetition, the conviction that they are a super-race, headed for a great destiny, and has shaken them into new self-respect, new strength.

HITLER (speaking): Das ist es was ich von Euch meine Deutsche Bauern winter verlangen muss.

VOICE OF TIME: It is from the ordinary German family that Adolf Hitler derives the immense power that he wields to-day. In millions of little homes, there is no longer unemployment and despair, for Adolf Hitler has given every man able to work a job, and new-found security.

The average wage earner is paid but \$10 a week, is told by the State what work he must do. By Nazi decree he is denied the right to strike—or even ask his employer for a raise. Day and night the roaring furnaces of the great Krupp munitions plant at Essen are fed by the self-denial of the German people. For bankrupt Germany must import most of the iron ore it is forging into cannons and shells. And to pay for the raw materials of conquest, it must cut down dollar for dollar on the imports that might be going to feed its people. Into fabricating the implements and machines of war, rather than to the productive industries of peace, go the resources and money of the German nation.

But a grateful worker forgets when he comes home at night how much he is paying for his security. His household is run by Propaganda Bureau decree—it is patriotic to wear clothes as long as they will last. A half-pound of lard-butter is the average weekly quota for the average home. It is patriotic to save every ounce of garbage to feed Nazi pigs. It is compulsory to contribute once a month to the Winterhilfe, who collect relief money and food, which the family saved by serving a one-dish meal last Sunday.

MAN: Heil, Hitler!

GIRL: Heil, Hitler!

VOICE OF TIME: In the markets, prices are government-controlled, kept high to benefit the farmer, who is essential in the Nazi programme—

the plan to make Germany self-sustaining.

In repeated slogans the farmer is told that he is the bulwark of the new nation. His farm becomes a unit in the Reich's subsistence plan. He grows what he is told—or loses his farm, and he must meet his fixed production quota.

And, louder than ever from propaganda headquarters comes the cry that Germany must have more land to grow grain.

As often as good Nazis read in their government-controlled papers that for the Fatherland they must eat less beef and eggs, they hear in a propaganda department broadcast how much worse off other nations are.

COMMENTATOR (over radio in Germany): 65,000 persons are starving and freezing in Cleveland, La Guardia, New York's Jewish mayor controls the city's vice and racketeers. Hundreds killed in riots of Communist strikers in Detroit.

VOICE OF TIME: Special Nazi award for obedience is the privilege of joining low-cost excursions subsidised by the State. Through them, every year, over a million Nazis, young and old, spend their holidays travelling through the Fatherland, come back filled with pride of German history, steeped in Nazi culture, and properly thankful to their Fuehrer.

From the time the German child is old enough to understand anything, he is taught that he was born to die for the Fatherland.

Scarcely out of kindergarten the child must take the place allotted to him in the great Nazi scheme, and then on think and act as he is told.

When at fourteen, the Nazi boy enters the Hitler Jugend, he receives his first uniform and his first rank in the German war machine. From enthusiastic young gliders, the air force will pick pilots for the bombers and pursuit ships of aerial warfare.

Along with her brother, the Nazi girl is taken over by the state, first enters the Jung Maedels. Here she must build strength. Later she must serve in the Girls' Compulsory Labour Service, do farmwork and housework without pay. Then follows government schooling—how to conserve precious food and fuel, which a nation preparing for war dare not waste. Most important, how to care for the babies the army expects her to bear.

At eighteen, every young man must serve six months in the Arbeitsdienst where hard work and exercise will build the body to Nazi standard. A labourer, without pay, he works on the Reich's new conservation projects, flood control and soil erosion, and on the new military highways which the government which is extending out toward every frontier.

Because Hitler believes that too much education is dangerous, the young Nazi get his only schooling after working hours, a daily lecture of Germany's need for expansion, and a little triumph he will share when German armies march into the rich wheatfields of the Russian Ukraine.

FOR HITLER'S two million brown-shirted Storm Troopers, the government provides food in abundance. These young volunteers are the Nazi militia, and proud is the youth who is selected for the black-shirted "Schuttsstaffel"—Hitler's own guard. Thus brought up in a group, trained in a group, the young German grows up to take his place in the most exclusive group of all—the Army of the Reich, in which every able-bodied man must serve actively for one full year—in the reserves for the rest of his life.

Most famed piece of Nazi propaganda is the annual military display at Nuremberg—specially staged to show the world the force of German arms.

In Berlin, the Nazi propaganda bureau is preparing the publicity which, next summer, it is hoped, will draw thousands of tourists to see the picturesquely German of yesterday, to leave much-needed American dollars in the Nazi Germany of to-day.

IN NEW YORK CITY, loudest mouthpiece in this Nazi propaganda drive, is the National Chairman of the Hitler-inspired German American Bund.

He is Fritz Kuhn, former German machine gunner, now a naturalised American citizen, who claims to have "ruined" 200,000 U.S. Germans under the Swastika. At his meeting, Fuehrer Kuhn preaches orthodox Fascist doctrines.

(KUHN SPEAKS IN GERMAN)

VOICE OF TIME: Across the United States, Fuehrer Kuhn has established 25 summer camps and drilling grounds where those German-Americans who believe in Nazi teachings can imitate Hitler's mighty military machine.

At New York meetings, designed to promote friendship and end the U.S. boycott on German goods, uniformed Nazis parade. Their mere appearance doubles the picket line.

When Fuehrer Kuhn, with plans drawn for a new England Nazi encampment, purchases a site in Connecticut, he meets unexpected opposition in a community long proud of its tolerance.

MAN: We have no quarrel with German people. But we do object and we do protest against the insidious, treacherous activities of Nazi agents masquerading as American citizens.

WOMAN: Mr. Chairman, two of my great-grandfathers and four of my great-grandfathers fought for liberty—so did the other people in this town. I call upon all you people here to drive the Nazis out.

VOICE OF TIME: But the most discouraging blow to the Nazi campaign for U.S. sympathy, comes from the retiring American Ambassador to Germany, William E. Dodd.

DODD: Living in Europe these days is profoundly discouraging. Nazism and Fascism are gaining ground everywhere. This is a world crisis—the greatest crisis for democracy since the first Napoleon.

VOICE OF TIME: Joined together by mutual self-interest, the two strong men of Fascism view the results of their long struggle for dominance in Europe with unconcealed satisfaction.

Behind these leaders lies an unbroken succession of Fascist triumphs, military and political, the re-arming of the Rhineland, the conquest of Ethiopia, the Saar Basin, the revolt in Spain—and the new Rome-Berlin-Tokyo Alliance.

Around them are other nations already inoculated with the Fascist fever.

But of the Fascist nations in Europe to-day, Germany emerges as the supreme example. Democracy is destroyed. The dictator is a demigod, who can do no wrong.

Propaganda demonstrates the nation's mind. Nazi Germany faces her destiny with one of the great war machines in history. And the inevitable destiny of the great war machines of the past has been to destroy the peace of the world, its people and the governments of their time.

TIME MARCHES ON!

GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty



"Oh, bring him along, too—we'll need a fifth for bridge anyhow, to mix the drinks and empty the ash trays."

TWO MEN IN DANCE GIRL'S LIFE

Story Of Scenes And Threats: "Driving Me Mad"

A Story of a new infatuation and a farewell interview with one of her two men friends was told at the inquest at Westminster recently on the dance hostess, Mrs. Violet Doris Wood (31), who was found dead from gas-poisoning at her flat in Brake House, Dolphin Square, S.W.

It was stated that she was the widow of Mr. Hubert Wood, a shipping agent.

James Chapman, of Chiltern Court, Baker Street, said that he had known Mrs. Wood for the past four months.

"BEST TO PART"

"She told me recently," he said, "that she thought it best that we should part."

He said that he was very attached to Mrs. Wood; but there was no talk of getting married. He was unmarried.

The Coroner (Mr. Ingleby Oddie): Why did she suddenly tell you she would not see you again?—She said things were difficult. She did not give any explanation. I could not understand it at all.

She had cried a little while he was at the flat.

Later that night she came to see him and his father, and told him she intended to go to Paris and had come to say goodbye.

Coroner: Was there any quarrel?—None at all.

THREATS ALLEGATION

Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, of Edinborough Street, Pimlico, a daily maid who had been employed by Mrs. Wood, said that six weeks before her death Mrs. Wood went "all to pieces."

Coroner: In what way?—She had that Mr. Wood there and she got infatuated with another young fellow and between them she did not want Mr. Wood there any more. He kept on threatening her with letters, which upset her. I have heard dreadful scenes in the flat.

Mrs. Wood found message from Mr. Wood and she said, "I cannot put up with it much longer. I cannot go on with the two of them. They will drive me mad," and stomped out of her bedroom.

Mrs. Smith said that the men had been demanding money from Mrs. Wood for about six weeks, and she had received message after message from them.

Coroner: The young men, you mean?—Yes, Mr. Chapman and Mr. Wood.

When she last saw Mrs. Wood at her flat she was like a mad one—crying, drinking and smoking. "You are not going to do anything, are you?" she replied, "No, I will promise you."

ANOTHER MAN

Police Constable Nicholls, coroner's officer, in an account of the interview with a man whom he named "Edward Carmona," who lived in Stratton Street, Piccadilly. The man was between 45 and 50, and the officer said he stated that he was the man referred to by Mrs. Smith.

"Carmona" would not disclose whether he was married, but said that he had known Mrs. Wood for some time and had taken her out to amusements. She was "highly strung and excitable."

"He says," continued the police officer "that when he got there on Tuesday he found her in bed distressed. He arranged for her to go to Paris, where she had friends. She did not say what she was disturbed about and he ("Carmona") thought she was simply run down."

NOTE LEFT

Albert Arthur Pavor, a porter at the flat, said that towels were wedged round the window. Gas was pouring from five taps and the woman was lying on the floor dressed in grey trousers and a yellow blouse. A letter was on the table.

The coroner said that Mrs. Wood had left a note to her father in which she said quite clearly that she was taking her life although the note did not give any real explanation.

Major Gordon H. T. Macintosh, of Collingwood Green, Earl's Court, said that his daughter left his home some two years ago because he did not approve of her friends.

"She made acquaintances and I considered—she said brokenly as he tried to overcome his emotion.

Coroner: You did not approve?—No.

Major Macintosh added that he was on good terms with his daughter and saw her from time to time. She had no financial trouble, and so far as he knew there had been no threats of suicide.

LIVING ALONE

The coroner said he was satisfied it was a case of suicide and equally satisfied that Mrs. Wood was not wholly responsible at the time. She yielded to some sudden impulse when worried and troubled.

"She had been living alone," he added, "and had various men friends—some apparently very fond of her and causing her a good deal of distress, so that it is not surprising that from being a self-respecting, healthy young woman she became extremely excitable and took to drink."

"She was on perfectly good terms with her father and merely left him to live by himself because he did not approve of one of her men friends—quite properly."

EMPIRE NEWS

CAPE TOWN

Capetown. A resolution urging that the civilian population of Cape Town should be registered and organised for air raid precautions, and that the coastal defences of the Cape Peninsula should be modernised, was passed at a meeting of the Empire Group.

The resolution followed an address by Col. E. C. Judd, in which he said that while Cape Town—as Mr. Pirow, the Defence Minister, had pointed out—need never fear a large-scale gas or air attack, a single raiding warship equipped with aeroplanes could do enormous damage to the city.

As a result of this meeting a movement has started in Cape Town for the institution of what is termed "a modified A.R.P. scheme."

Johannesburg Town Plan.—The Johannesburg City Council has approved in principle of a £300,000 scheme for the development and improvement of the western areas of the city. The scheme envisages the conversion of Claremont into an Indian township, with sports grounds and other facilities. Of the expenditure, land purchase will account for £277,000 and housing for £200,000.

AUSTRALIA STATES AND DEFENCE PLANS

Sydney. Although Mr. Thorby, the Defence Minister, stated in a broadcast that the recent Loan Council meeting was a success, the Press and the State Premiers generally agree that its results were disappointing. Mr. A. D. Dunstan, Premier of Victoria, declares that the Commonwealth failed to give a lead by not placing before the conference concrete defence proposals.

Mr. Forgan Smith, Premier of Queensland, states that the conference emphasised the lack of leadership. Any idea of national planning was half-baked and immature.

Mr. Thorby said the States agreed to co-operate with the Commonwealth, and approved the allocation of £2,000,000 for defence. Everything possible was being done to establish new industries and make Australian defence as complete as possible.

Dutch Farmer Settlers.—Negotiations now in progress at Canberra between representatives of the Commonwealth Government and the Netherlands Government may result in an arrangement whereby migrants from Holland will be brought to Australia. It is expected that most of the men will be skilled farmers.

NEW ZEALAND TASMAN AIR MAIL IN FEBRUARY

Auckland. Mr. F. Jones, Postmaster-General, announces that the Tasman air mail service will start in February. The first flying-boat was tested in England in November.

The service across the Tasman Sea will be a continuation of the Australian air mail, which has been flying from England since July. It will involve the regular crossing of 1,200 miles of open sea.

SOUTH AFRICA ANTARCTIC PLANS OF SIR H. WILKINS

Cape Town. Sir Hubert Wilkins, the explorer, arrived here recently to take part in Mr. Lincoln Ellsworth's forthcoming expedition to the Antarctic.

Sir Hubert will be in charge of the base ship, Wyatt Earp, while Mr. Lincoln Ellsworth, with another pilot, will undertake a 2,000-mile flight from Enderby Land to the Bay of Whales.

Clothing Factories' Flight.—Nine out of 10 clothing factories in Cape Town are working short time, owing, it is said, to competition from Japan, Central Europe and the United States.

Rogue Hippo Shot.—A rogue hippopotamus which has been raiding crops on the banks of the Pongola River for some months, has been shot. It was cut up by the natives who prize highly the fat of a hippopotamus.



Prince Bernhard, husband of Princess Juliana, Crown Princess of The Netherlands, likes to do daring deeds. This time he went out in a lifeboat, in exceedingly rough water at Terschelling, and enjoyed it, so he said. He is in centre of the picture, striding ashore while the crew of the "Nicolaas Maritus" stand by. His attitude indicates he wasn't troubled by sea-sickness.

He Was Offered £60 To Marry Woman Of 66

Mr. Patrick McGowan, of Cedarne-road, Fulham, S.W., a married man with four children, recently told of agents in Britain working to arrange marriages between German refugee women and British subjects.

He himself has been approached to take part in a marriage of convenience and offered £60 to become a "bridegroom."

The disclosures follow the conviction of Albert William Fordham, 54-years-old tunneller, who at the Old Bailey recently was sentenced to four months' imprisonment for bigamously marrying Mrs. Emma Meyer, a German Jewess.

Fordham, a married man with eight children, was introduced to Mrs. Meyer on October 12, and two days later went through a form of marriage with her at Chelsea register office. After the ceremony they separated immediately.

nothing further to do with the woman.

Now penniless and without a country, Mrs. Meyer is considering applying to the Government for permission to remain in Britain.

A woman friend said "Mrs. Meyer, who has been a widow for many years, is now living on the hospitality of friends. She was compelled to leave her lovely flat in Germany and she dare not return."

Mills Buy Marriage Licence

Atchison, Kas. Clinton Madison, 20, and Miss Gertrude Jackson, 18, paid for their marriage licence with 1,750-sales tax tokens, each worth 2 mills. The licence cost \$3.50. The couple told Judge Frank P. Wertz they had been saving the tokens for a year.

GERMAN PROPERTY Mr. Maxwell Turner, prosecuting counsel, remarked during the course of the case, "German subjects are able to get British protection and British nationality in this way. A woman is thus able to remove property which she had in Germany."

Mrs. Meyer was born in Germany, and in 1894 married a German subject who died in 1918.

She landed at Dover on September 20 last, and came to London to visit her brother to discuss her future owing to her treatment in Germany.

When Fordham was arrested, he told a policeman, "I ain't done nothing wrong, I got 35 quid and a new suit for marrying her."

Mrs. Meyer, who is said to be a wealthy German Jewess, left the court with two other women.

"EASY 500" Afterwards, Mr. McGowan, who was a witness in the case, but was not called, said, "On September last I was working as a lorry driver for a firm of caterers. When I was out of work, a fellow driver sympathised with me and remarked, 'I can put you in the way of getting £500.'"

"I asked him how, and he explained, 'If you will go through a form of marriage.' It seemed so easy that I agreed."

"A week later I was taken to some offices in Holborn—for the life of me I cannot explain just exactly where they were, but I have got to show some Scotland Yard officers to-morrow."

"There I was introduced to a man who was obviously a German. I understood him to be a solicitor. He asked me if I was still prepared to go through with this, and I said I was."

"When I arrived home that night I discussed the matter with my wife. Fordham overheard the conversation and said he would go through with it. That is how he came to be standing in the dock."

THREE MARRIAGES IN YEAR "I know that the agent who introduced me to this had 'married' three times this year. A friend of mine, a single man, has received letters asking about his willingness to enter into these 'marriages'."

"This solicitor in Holborn had looked me over, and then shaken his head, saying that I was too young. I am over-50, and I gathered from that the woman I had to 'marry' was much older—Mrs. Meyer is 66."

"Evidently she insisted upon the man she 'married' having a new black coat and striped trousers. When Fordham turned up in the dress rehearsal, the 'solicitor' told him to get a new shirt and collar and to clean his finger nails."

Mr. McGowan added that at the office each man had to sign a document "agreeing that he would have

HALF-TON OF FISH AT CHURCH

Half a ton of fish piled beneath a few nets made the porch of St. Mary-at-Hill, Billingsgate's Parish Church, resemble a fish shop recently.

The occasion was the fish harvest festival, and big merchants sent their crates, fish porters their bunches of herrings or nets of fish.

Altogether 37 varieties of fish were shown on the "slab" set up by church workers.

170LB. HALIBUT A giant halibut, which weighed 170lb. when it came out of the water, was the prize exhibit, and around it were everything from lobsters and John Dory to smelts, dried haddock and red mullet.

Mr. Bill Cupitt, "father" of the market and organiser of the collection, told of the origin of the festival just after the war.

"There's never been a year when the show failed," he declared. "None of the merchants ever makes any bother about sending along a crate of fish or a few lobsters—and you see the result."

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"Twenty or so of us merchants with our families went along to the service this morning; a lot more this evening. Fish merchants don't live very close to Billingsgate nowadays, but we still try to keep in touch with the market's old parish church."

Doctors Prove Pneumonia Cure

The cure for pneumonia, which kills 28,000 men and women yearly in Britain, has been found.

Harry, Toffee Apple Prince, Show 'Em How

The costermonger stopped selling chrysanthemums and bananas in the Lambeth walk, put his diamond ring on his little finger and took the Miksus to a ball recently.

It was the annual dance of Lambeth-walk Traders' Association in Lambeth Baths, S.E., and if you think that just because a man sells from a handcart he is no trader, you would have got your answer from Billy the Peanut King.

"Granted we don't do it up in a dicky and a pair of swallowers to sell an 'apporh of peanuts, lady, but we're 'ghly respected in the neighbourhood and paying members of this 'ere association."

Billy could not bring his wife. She has had an accident. "Her shoulder is disconnected, lady." But the others came in pairs and they were in their working clothes.

They had, of course, to do the Lambeth Walk, but the difference is that these people did not need the music. They just walk it, and a walk looks like the Walk when they do it.

They gave it the fervour of a Waltz in Vienna, a Charleston in New York, a Tango in Spain, and no one ever danced the Lambeth Walk half as well as Harry, the Toffee Apple Prince, after his fourth brown ale and a baby's head (meat pudding).

And they picked their beauty queen—a sweet, young girl of sixteen, dark haired, with pink cheeks. They cheered her like mad—and that no doubt was wise, because she is Irene Dipper, Sergeant Dipper's daughter.

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Proof of the success of the "wonder drug," sulphanilamide, in the most dreaded of all lung infections, has been obtained in Wolverhampton and Walsall during an epidemic of the rare lobar pneumonia.

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Lobar pneumonia, most deadly of the four principal forms, killed 6,242 men and 3,094 women in 1936, the last year for which complete figures exist.

Dr. S. C. Dyke, director of the pathological department of the Royal Hospital, Wolverhampton, and his young Scots house surgeon, Dr. G. C. K. Reid, give in a recent issue of the Lancet their records of the eight cases.

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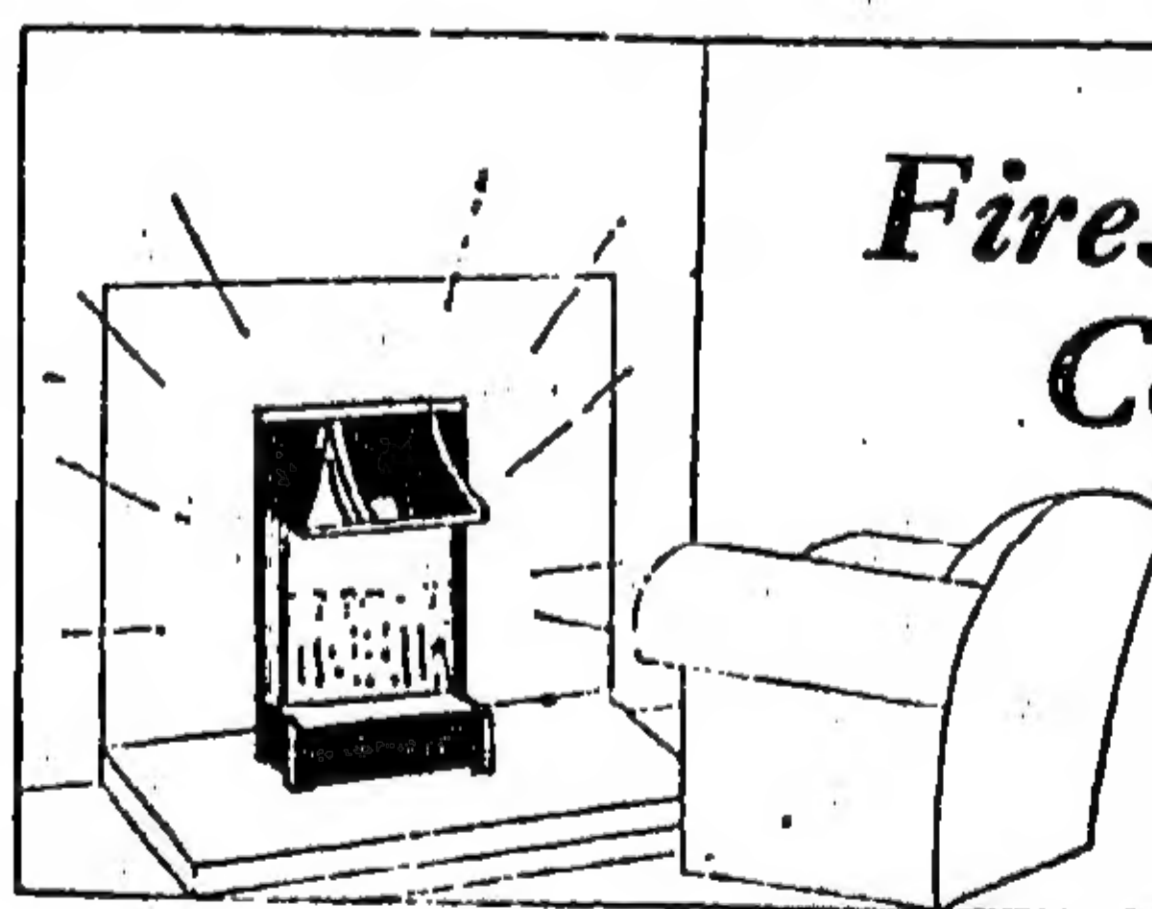
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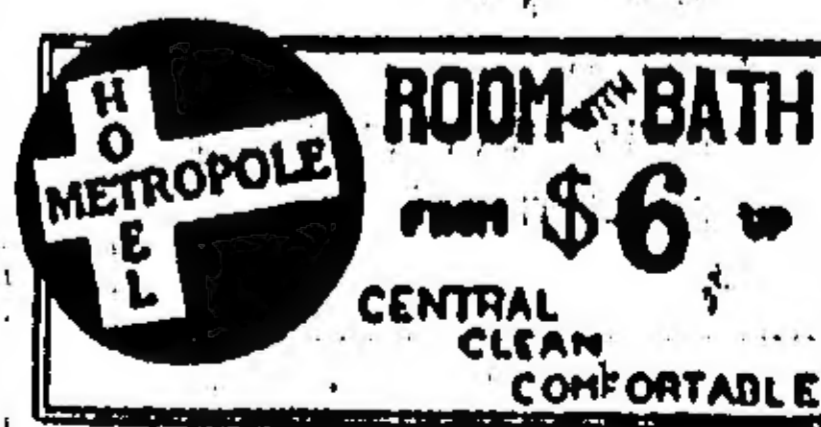
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ROYAL SCOTS PLAY SIXTH DRAWN GAME OF SEASON

SHARE POINTS WITH THE NAVY IN SOCCER TIE SAILORS' FAIL TO KEEP THEIR TWO-GOAL LEAD

(By "Abe")

Giving all the appearances of a better team and scoring two goals in the first half, the Royal Navy were foiled by the Royal Scots in a First Division League football match at Sookunpoo yesterday and were held to a draw of two goals all.

Play was very scrappy in the initial period, neither side being able to show any scientific football; but in the second half when the Royal Scots began to fight back, the game became much more interesting, and even exciting in the last few moments when the issue was still hanging in the balance.

Though the keeping on the part of Duncan thwarted their efforts on several occasions, the Navy forwards had only themselves to blame for not winning full points. In the last few minutes, they swarmed all over the Scots' goal, but did everything except put the ball in the net.

The Royal Scots' forwards had few opportunities to shine, but when they were in possession they failed to make full use of the ball. Holmes, on the left-wing, was starved, and Munro was far from his best on the other end.

REJUVENATED TEAM

A rejuvenated Scots' team took the field in the second half, and after a period of attacking, Munro crashed in a shot which McAllister appeared to stop, but Hosack was in close attendance and the ball rolled over the line. Continuing to attack, the Scots had more of the game now. Their efforts were further rewarded when a free-kick from the centre was lobbed into the goal-mouth, and after a melee, during which McAllister was drawn out of his charge, Kane scored the equaliser.

With the issue still in doubt, both teams threw everything into the struggle. At one stage, the Scots were playing very strongly and seemed to have a great chance of turning the tables on the sailors, but after a sustained period of attack, they fizzled out.

Now it was the sailors' turn to take the offensive. For fully ten minutes they kept the ball almost continually in the Scots' half, but all attempts at goal failed. Duncan was the hero of the defence, relieving several dangerous moments with daring interceptions. Once he saved a hot drive from Betts from close-in.

But for Duncan's inspired display at this time, the sailors almost certainly would have walked off the field with full points.

As it was, the whistle blew with the sailors still trying vainly to score the winning goal.

Teams: Royal Navy.—McAllister; Findlay, Fisher; Honeywell, Dixon, Rover; Armstrong, Thoburn, Morrill, Hunt and Betts. Royal Scots.—Duncan; Fraser, McDonald; Brown, Proctor, Clarke; Munro, Kane, Hosack, Allen and Holmes.

SIXTH DRAW

This was the Royal Scots' sixth draw in ten matches played in the League this season. Their record is now as follows:

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The sailors did not play good football to take their 2-0 lead but because the Scots failed to settle down in the first half. Furthermore a penalty given against the sailors in the first five minutes did not help them, especially as Hunt converted the kick.

Nevertheless, the Navy were definitely the better team in this period and it was not against the run of play when Armstrong put them further ahead with a somewhat lucky goal just before half-time. The ball, lobbed into the goal-mouth by the out-side right, was out of Duncan's reach and hit the woodwork, rebounding into the net off the goal-keeper's body.

During this half, the Navy intermediates were doing good work and had no difficulty in keeping the Scots' forwards in check. Dixon, the centre-half, in particular was prominent with some splendid interceptions, while the backs, Findlay and Fisher, were very steady. As a result, McAllister, in the Navy goal, had comparatively little to do.



Hidden again by Benny Proulx, Lancashire Chips, winner of the Queensland Handicap two meetings back, gained another success on Saturday, winning the Cramond Brig. Handicap in record time. Top right picture shows the winner being led in by Mrs. Taggart. Top left shows Mrs. Pearce leading in King's Privilege with Nedra in the saddle after winning the Blackford Hill Handicap, and below the finish of the race, King's Privilege reaching the post a length and a half in front of Murray River, Tampa Bay and Lucky with half a length between them at the winning post in the first section of the Portobello Handicap are seen in the right bottom picture. Tampa Bay being disqualified, the official placing was Lucky. Scenic View and King's Lead.—Pictorial News.

Royal Air Force Surprised By Radio Team In H.K.H.A. Tourney Winners Scored Three Times In Second Half

(By "The Pilgrim")

The Royal Air Force had a rude shock in the Hong-kong Hockey Association Tournament yesterday when they were defeated by the Radio and Postal Sports Club by 4-1 at Kai Tak.

There was really very little between the two teams during the first half, both defences being in brilliant form, and the score of 1-1 at the interval was a fair indication of the run of play.

On resumption, however, play was monopolised by the Radio men, chiefly as the result of positional changes between Avtar Singh and G. Singh in the forward line. The half-backs also rendered necessary assistance to the attack, Carter in particular being prominent at right half.

After continual pressure by the Radio attack in the last 15 minutes of the game, G. Singh scored twice, and M. H. Hassan made the issue safe by adding another goal from a short corner hit.

Except for spasmodic raids, the R.A.F. were kept on the defensive during the second period. Froude, on the left wing, was responsible for the only goal scored by the aviators. Dawson, at centre-half, played a constructive game but received poor support.

Kowloon Indians Lose To Central British Assn.

On their home ground at King's Park yesterday morning the C.B.A. forwards' through pass tactics proved successful against the K.I.T.C. and the team won a Hong-kong H.A. Tournament game by 5-4 in a fast and evenly-fought match.

The attack, with G. A. Fowler, S. A. Fowler and D. Smith, had complete understanding and made full use of their opportunities.

K.I.T.C. were kept on the defensive throughout the first half and some good team-work resulted in N. Whitley, S. A. and G. A. Fowler finding the net in quick succession for the C.B.A.

The Indians missed J. M. Pinto at centre-half and the understanding of the defence was poor. Karnal Singh was pulled up several times for infringing the sticks rule.

With a three-goal lead against them, the K.I.T.C., however, came into their own on resumption and during some short-passing movements in the attack, Parlab and Pyara Singh reduced the deficit to 3-2.

DEFENCE FIRM

The C.B.A. defence was firm, the halves, N. and T. Quilley and E. Fowler, displaying fine understanding and fine tackling. V. Bond was also at right back with his line hitting.

At the other end, the K.I.T.C.

At this stage, the C.B.A. were undoubtedly the better team and they thoroughly deserved their victory.

London Wants Next Olympics

London, Dec. 4. The Amateur Athletic Association, meeting in London, has decided to give the fullest support to the application made by the City of London

CHAMPIONS HELD TO A DRAW

(By "The Pilgrim")

Defences were dominant in the Cael Clark Cup match on Saturday between the "Y" Ladies and St. Andrew's at King's Park, and the result of 1-1 was a fair one.

As usual the champions were the first to take up the attack, though they did not provide play of a very high quality. Mrs. Burnett, on the right wing, was always dangerous and so was Miss M. Westcott, on the opposite wing. Miss Barker, at inside right, opened the score after 15 minutes from a nice combined movement on the right wing.

The "Y" defence was now playing better than ever and though Miss A.



Miss A. Greiner

she scored the Saints' equaliser.

Fowler was erratic with her clearances, Miss M. McCaw and Mrs. Williams, the halves, did splendid work.

From the interval, the Saints started a series of attacks and after Mrs. Read had saved some good shots, Miss A. Greiner eventually equalised with an easy drive. The ball had crossed well over the goal-line before Mrs. Read kicked it.

Play continued with the Saints playing for all they were worth, but without being able to do anything when in front of goal. Miss P. Gittins and Miss F. Wong had the "Y" defence rattled on many occasions, with Miss H. Reid and Miss Pettigrew giving brilliant exhibitions in the half-back line.

The Saints deserved their point and they were pressing desperately when the final whistle blew.

to stage the 1944 Olympic Games. The application will be considered at a meeting of the International Olympic Committee in June next.—Reuter.

INJURIES WEAKEN ARMY'S FIFTEEN AGAINST CLUB

Triangular Rugby Tourney Game Deteriorates After A Promising Beginning

(By "Fly-Hall")

In a game which promised well at the start only to deteriorate after the injury to Lt. Drew-Wilkinson, the Club defeated the Army by 28 points (two goals and six tries) to three points (a try) in the first game of the Triangular Rugby Tournament series played at Sookunpoo on Saturday.

A succession of injuries to Army players considerably weakened the Club's opposition. During a major part of the game, Army played with only 13 men and it says much for them that the score was kept within reasonable bounds.

Club disappointed with a very lackadaisical display in which far too many individualistic efforts were spoiling movements. The forwards played as individuals and not a pack. Handling by the Club three left much to be desired.

For Army to lose Drew-Wilkinson at a stage of the game when they showed every sign of winning was sheer bad luck. Then later when L/Cpl. Garrie had to be taken off suffering from concussion, the Army's attacking force was considerably reduced.

FORWARDS SHINE

The Army forwards played tirelessly throughout and held the Club pack in the fight even although they were packing only six men. Crawford, Berry and Cuthbertson were Army forwards to shine in the open.

Boe once more played well for Army at stand-off half and later at scrum-half. The three were never given time to settle down due to the re-arrangements made necessary by the injuries. Gudgeon and Chiverrall played courageously, the former being particularly dangerous when in possession.

Deane was conspicuous for Club through constant backing up. Hardly a try was scored without his being in attendance. In every department the forward play was scrappy, particularly in the line-outs, where seldom was the ball caught cleanly.

At scrum-half, Henderson gave another splendid display. Cessford was too often caught in possession, but otherwise played a sound game at stand-off half. Bidwell and Grieve were brilliant, especially Grieve whose swerving was very effective. Both wing-men played faultless games. MacGrath had very little to do at full back.

THE SCORING

Club scored first through Bidwell but very soon lost the lead when Drew-Wilkinson broke through to score from a scrum near the Club line. Both tries were unconverted. At this stage, many were on top, breaking through repeatedly and only bad passing prevented them from going further ahead. Then Drew-Wilkinson was injured and had to leave the field, having wrenched his shoulder. Boe went

JUNIOR MATCH

In the junior game, HMS Eagle defeated Club "A" by 19 points (two goals) to six points (two tries).

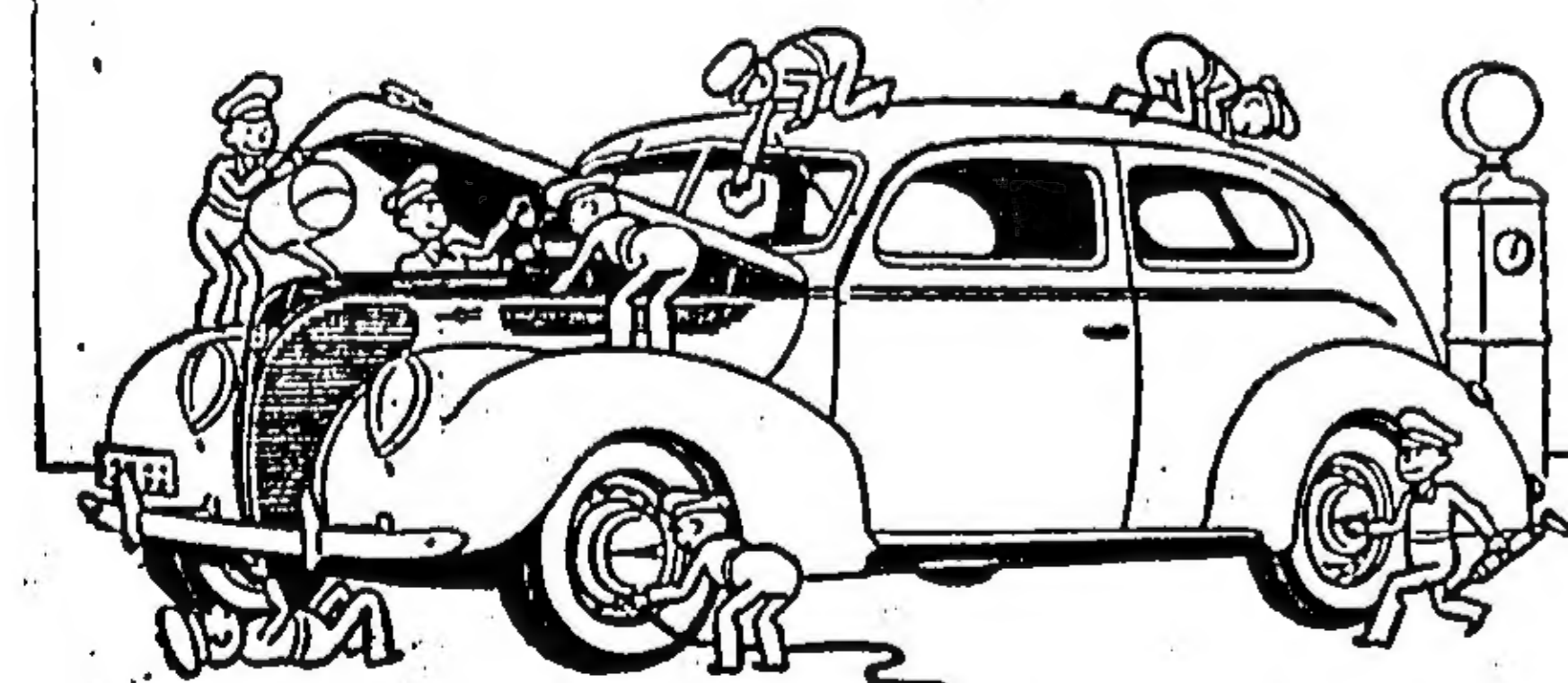
Club "A" played throughout with 14 men and despite holding a six points lead at half-time were unable to hold the Navy men in the second period. An injury to Lee necessitated his coming off the field. Peers, just back from leave, stroved at half-time and assisted the Club.

D. L. Bosanquet scored both tries for the Club. Staples and Lumsden scored for the Eagle, both tries being converted by Hunt.

To-night's Badminton Programme

Two matches are down for decision in the "A" Division of the Badminton League this evening, the programme being as follows: University "B" v. University "A" King's College v. Chinese "Y"

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Commendable Keeness Shown by Junior Club De Recreio Cricketers

A resolute innings by G. Gosano, and a somewhat speculative, though enterprising knock by R. Soares, who between them added 67 for the seventh wicket, not only pulled Club de Recreio juniors out of queer street in their friendly cricket match against the K.C.C., at Cox's Road on Saturday, but with J. Gosano, another school boy member of the huge family of cricketers, bowling effectively late in the game, the visitors all but pulled off victory, the K.C.C. having the worst of a draw, with scores of 169 for 7 declared against 107 for 8.

Recreio, a team of considerable talent and illimitable virility, played attractive cricket, even taking into consideration the rather laboured batting of their opening pair. Gosano's innings was quite a little gem, this young man treating all the bowling alike, and driving with considerable facility. He could be considered unlucky to have missed a half-century, as he was magnificently caught by Baldwin from a terrific straight drive which would easily have reached the boundary, and which have given him his 50. Baldwin took the catch off his own bowling, and once again demonstrated that he is by far the safest catcher in local junior cricket.

PERFECT OFF-DRIVES

Gosano's innings of 47 was studded with seven boundary strokes, three of which came from perfectly-timed off drives, which sent the ball at express speed through the covers, the ball hanging in the air all the way. Except when he ran up against Lay, in the latter's first spell, Gosano appeared as comfortable as if he were batting at the nets, and his innings was chancelous.

Soares did not make his 31 runs in the same confident, workmanlike manner, but his knock was none the less valuable, as Recreio had lost six wickets for 67 at the time he joined Gosano. There were some "edgy" boundaries to his credit, but he also made merry at the expense of anything loose, and demonstrated that he could be a punishing bat.

The rest of the seven batsmen made small contributions, and one or two were fortunate to score what they did. Nevertheless K.C.C. had themselves to blame for some of the runs conceded, ground fielding now and then being very ragged.

When the home side started their lack of meeting 169 runs, they shaped with confidence, Lay and Muleahy quickly sending up 20. But after Lay had hit three successive boundaries, he got his leg in front of a straight one, and Muleahy quickly followed. Gray helped himself to five shots to the boundary, the first a cracking square cut, and the others on the leg side, and then lost his wicket trying to sneak a quick run. After this, however, he got well on top and wickets fell rapidly. J. Gosano came on and sent back three batsmen for the loss of eight runs, but in the gathering gloom, Luke, who had hit one lovely four through the covers and then made a tremendous hit which only produced three, though a six over the far embankment looked likely, together with Brokenshire managed to play out time.

It remains to be said that although the Recreio attack was keen, only Gosano gave much trouble. Alves was erratic and sent down too many long hops. More than one of the home batsmen threw away their wickets, either through a really bad or an impetuous stroke. The Portuguese fielded neatly, and certainly compared more than favourably with their opponents.

AZUMA DURING THE WEEK-END

Moonlight Of Great Help To Competitors

(By On d'Beach)

Azuma won the Illingworth Cup race, which started from The Royal Hongkong Yacht Club on Saturday evening at 6 p.m. The course was: Cheung Chau (port) Lingling Island (port) Waglan (port) and Hongkong (starboard) with finish at the Yacht Club. Distance 45 miles. As a preliminary to the annual Macao Race it was an excellent one, with light and strong breezes and one's patience as well as sailing ability had to be exercised, especially during the calm yesterday morning—and patience is a very necessary commodity in a yachtsman's makeup.

Azuma must have sailed a very fine race to win with a margin of 1 hour and 40 minutes on her nearest competitor. She is an old friend of mine and I know she can travel, but the veteran Charlie Cooke, who sailed her, certainly made a job of it. Thirteen yachts crossed the line, practically all in a bunch. It was one of the better starts and I do not think thirty seconds separated the first and the last boat. This speaks well for the keenness of the helmsmen starting on a race that may last anything from 12 to 24 hours. I sailed in "Minister", a new and somewhat unknown addition to the fleet. The run down the Harbour was an uneventful one except that there was a good deal of sail shifting from one gybe to another, and the fleet went through Sulphur Channel still very much bunched together. The wind lightened outside Green Island and the fleet began to spread out a bit. We were still carrying spinnakers but at the south point of Cheung Chau these were handed and Genos took their place to the benefit of Marauder who is not so good at running. The wind freshened a bit and Marauder stepped out. We overtook Tyrone and two fourtonners at

Lingling and saw the lights of a couple of other yachts close ahead. Quest with two others had been left behind at Cheung Chau.

BEAUTIFUL SIGHT

The wind had freshened still more and we met some swell as we drew near the S. E. point of Lingling. Fine moonlight and it was really a beautiful sight to see the yachts tearing through the water. On clearing Lingling, the wind increased sufficiently to take in the Genos and set the ordinary working jib. We now had a dead beat for our next mark, Waglan, the wind being N. E. At times we did some hard sailing and as we got further out the seas increased, although not sufficient for us to take any on-board. Marauder is a very dry ship. Occasional spray would come over. We were travelling very fast through the water and it was grand sailing. We had decided to keep as near Lamna Channel as possible, so shortly after passing Lingling we went on to starboard tack and stood right on to Lamna. We met a couple of yachts, but as the moon at this time had retired behind a heavy cloud, we could not identify any of them. The lights of Hongkong were twinkling in the distance as we finally tackled towards Stanley Peninsula. The wind came good and strong out of Stanley and Tytam Bays. The moon had been very good to us and apart from a few momentary disappearance behind clouds, had done its best to lighten our way; but as we drew near Stanley it finally went to sleep. There were many fishing sampans about with their bright lights blinding us, but a junk ahead acted as guide as we were sea serpentine our way through the numerous craft.

WIND HOLDS

Opposite Pui Loi we met a yacht on her return voyage. This was about 3.30 a.m. and as we could not make her number, we hoped she would prove the leading one. Near Beaufort Island and Waglan we found the usual confused sea, but the wind held. We finally rounded Waglan at 5.35 a.m. in company with U and I who had suddenly appeared from south.

Then we made one of those silly mistakes, one of the many may be put to the debit of "local knowledge". As we have cruised round Hongkong and its numerous islands for many years and know these waters better than our front door, we did not bother to check up our course from Chart or compass, but gaily sailed on, having infinite confidence in our "local knowledge". But when Lam-tong light was staring us in the face from starboard and Cape Collinson was twinkling at us over the port bow, we could only curse ourselves for a pack of idiots. So we had to sail back round Cape d'Aguller again and this little detour must have cost us at least an hour. The wind lightened as we once more crossed Tytam Bay, this time from East to West, and we just drifted past Stanley and Repulse Bay. We could see U and I, Yanthey and a fourtonner ahead, all becalmed with their sails "up and down". Outside Aberdeen there was not a breath of air and as the skipper had to be back in town by noon and as it was now already nine o'clock, it was decided to abandon the race and get ashore at Aberdeen. We found Tyrone going into Picnic Bay, obviously also having given up the race. On our way to town, we could see U and I becalmed near Alligator Island. The Curlew off Pokfulam, but a light breeze was then getting up and we began to wonder if we had been too quick in abandoning the race.

The Curlew was the only four-

tonner to finish the race and she takes second place on corrected time. She was very pluckily sailed by Capt. Tracey. Yanthey, Capt. Dibley, was placed third.

The results:	Finished	Corrd.	Pos.
Azuma	08.52.1	08.40.2	1
(C. J. Cooke)			
Curlew	12.31.06	10.21.28	2
(Capt. Tracey)			
Yanthey	11.52.02	11.10.18	3
(Capt. Dibley)			
Norona	10.36.18	11.43.03	4
(P. C. M. Sedgwick)			
U. & I.	12.20.33	12.02.55	5
(C. D. Collis)			
Punai	14.12.35	12.21.26	6
(L. D. Fringle)			
Wanderer	14.44.25	14.24.03	7
(D. W. Wagstaff)			
Quest, Tyrone, Marauder, Tai Wan Shan, Typhoon, Tern did not finish.			

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Indians Take Revenge On Army Seconds

When the Army juniors met the Indian R.C. 2nd XI earlier in the season, the former won a low-scoring game, thanks to the splendid bowling of C.M.S. Patterson. The teams met again on Saturday, but this time the Indians were successful by eight wickets.

With five left-handers in the Army team, the Indians were somewhat disorganised in the field but did well to dismiss the soldiers for only 90 runs. The medium-to-fast bowlers did not have a good day, and it was left to two-spinners, Y. T. Barma and F. A. Curreen, to take most of the wickets.

Lieut. Weedon, the Army team's best bat, was bowled before he could settle down, and this was in a great measure responsible for the side's comparatively low score.

Had the Army fielding been up to scratch, the Indians would not have won as easily as they did. Several catches were dropped—a couple being "slitters"—and meanwhile, with M. R. Abbas scoring 39 and H. T. Barma 37 retired, the necessary runs were made with the loss of only two wickets.

Patterson bowled well at times without much luck, but he was concentrating far too much on speed at the expense of length and direction.

Leading Individual Performances

The following were the best individual performances over the week-end:

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Lieut. Manners (R. Navy) v. H.K.C.C. 94
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Navy		
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This shirred red velvet bonnet is an unusual version of a Victorian bonnet, with a bow in flight to top it off. Designed for afternoon wear, this hat will complement intriguing lips because Marlon Valle, the designer, makes it in a popular lipstick shade. This vogue is based on fashion's dictum that hats must match your cosmetics.

This is the sort of decor that a man respects. It is neat, not gaudy, accentuates good points without elaborating them too much. This girl's obviously no blue-stocking, but she's worth getting to know, because she hasn't tried to make her charms or her intelligence too obvious.

On the One Hand

YOU may think it's a good line to look super-intelligent, well read and a straightforward "good fellow," but if underneath all that you want to be attractive too it's no good dressing yourself up like the lady top left.

It won't persuade any man that it's worth while getting to know you at all, let alone trying to discover your really excellent qualities.

It's sad, but true, that a man is attracted by a pleasing appearance in the first place, and not by the intelligence which may shine through your eyes.

No girl can afford to go without make-up entirely, dress in undecorous clothes and let her hair fly loose. Men still like to think their women gentle and beautiful—if they're brainy as well, all to the good, but they don't want to be unduly impressed with the fact.

On the Other Hand

YOU don't want to go to the other extreme. Lady top right is the same as lady top left, believe it or not, and she's made herself look like a good-time girl.

Men don't like that either. It's conspicuous, good fun, of course, but not to be taken seriously.

Striking clothes, daring make-up are all very well in their way. They create a diversion. But a man doesn't want to marry a diversion; he wants someone who can be smart without being loud, kind without being overbearing, gay without being flamboyant.

Outfit top right conveys none of these things; in fact, it gives quite the wrong impression, and the decor wouldn't look at all impressive carried out in net and orange blossom.

Try Moderation In Everything

Clever but not overbearing make-up—any beauty specialist will help, and some give free consultations—improves a girl's appearance a hundred per cent.

A styled coiffure, fairly simple and easy to manage, to enhance the good contours of your face, should, after consultation with your hairdresser, be decided upon and kept to.

When you buy clothes, remember it's as easy, and takes no more time or money to buy those that make the most of your figure and colouring.

Never choose colours just because you like the colours in themselves, but take a good look at yourself in them in the daylight. Above all, be neat and well groomed whatever you wear. Fussy clothes really need a lady's maid to look after them, for there's nothing worse than dowdy finery.

Hats Match Makeup In Season's New Vogue

Hat Colours Now

Match Your Lipstick

AT FIRST thought you might wonder how hats could possibly have anything to do with your lipstick or your lipstick with your hat. But since hats play such an important part in making or spoiling an otherwise perfect ensemble, it seems wise to look a bit more closely into the matter.

You know how often the beautiful and becoming hat you have chosen to wear with a certain lovely new afternoon frock or a smart suit, just misses fire when you put it on. Perhaps you have had the experience and have laid the fault to some vague notion that it "just doesn't go with your personality."

The smart young American designer whose "lipstick hat" appears to-day designed to investigate and decided that your hat must match your make-up. With this in mind she designed a whole series of hats

matched to the colours of the season's most popular make-up.

ALL VERY SIMPLE

This makes it simple. All you have to do is to find the proper hat and its corresponding cosmetic and you will be sure of avoiding all clashing colours. Many women do not realise that the small amount of tinting on the face is immediately adjacent to the hat and may clash violently—even when each shade is flattering to the face when used alone.

Colour is rampant in hats this season, as you may have discovered if you have shopped for them. This has its advantages, too; nothing gives such a lift to an all-black costume, and if the colour is right, to a costume with a dash of vivid scarlet or purple.

In this group of make-up matched hats is the lipstick hat pictured to-day. This is a vivid shade of orchid-red that exactly matches the warm, vivid lipstick shade that is so wearable by all types and so popular this winter.

Another hat called "Eye-Shadow" is a trick shade of blue-green. It is a tiny hat, scarcely more than an ornament to set off your new hair-

do. Yards of veiling tied in the season it's the other way around. It's back gives it a softness that makes the lips that talk. For the woman it suitable even for the girl who feels who wears purple or wine in her costume or a touch of it on her hat she should avoid the tiny hats because her features are irregular. This little hat will do magic things for the girl with blue eyes, but it is flattering to brown eyes as well.

IT'S A BIG STEP

There is another in a shade to match orchid eye shadow—one to match a clear red rouge; another with the soft rose-champagne tone of a new face powder, and finally a little hat in green designed to suggest new perfume that is suitable for both town and country wear.

The designer of the attractive hats feels that she has taken the first big step in the right direction—the ultimate goal being a collaboration of make-up, coiffure, hat and costume to create the perfectly turned-out woman. The hat must be thought of in terms of the whole, rather than the individual parts, she says. The day has past when beautiful features alone will lend charm. Now the hat and face must form an integral design for beauty and fashion.

Time was when an outmoded hat made the face look "dated," but this

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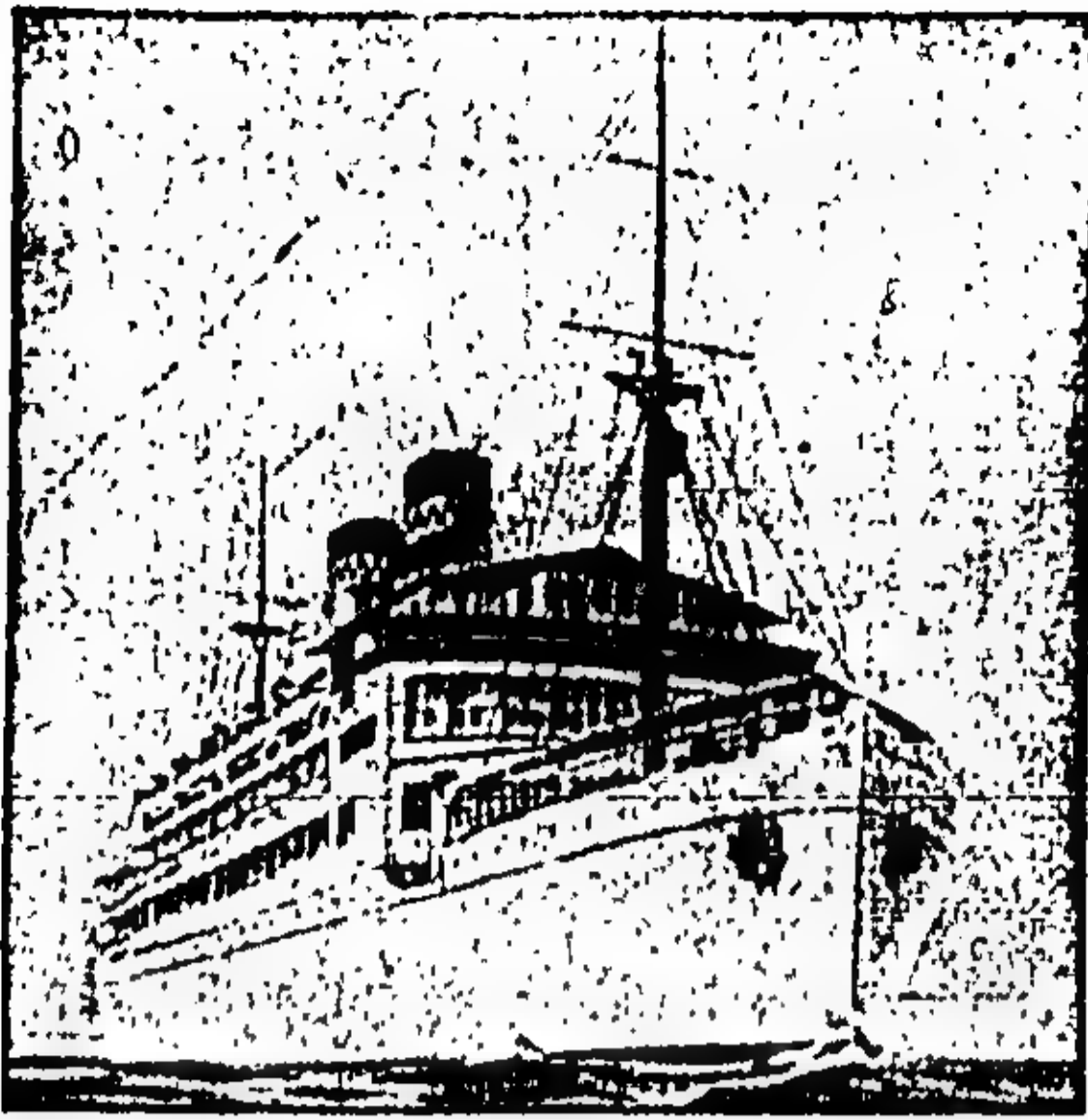
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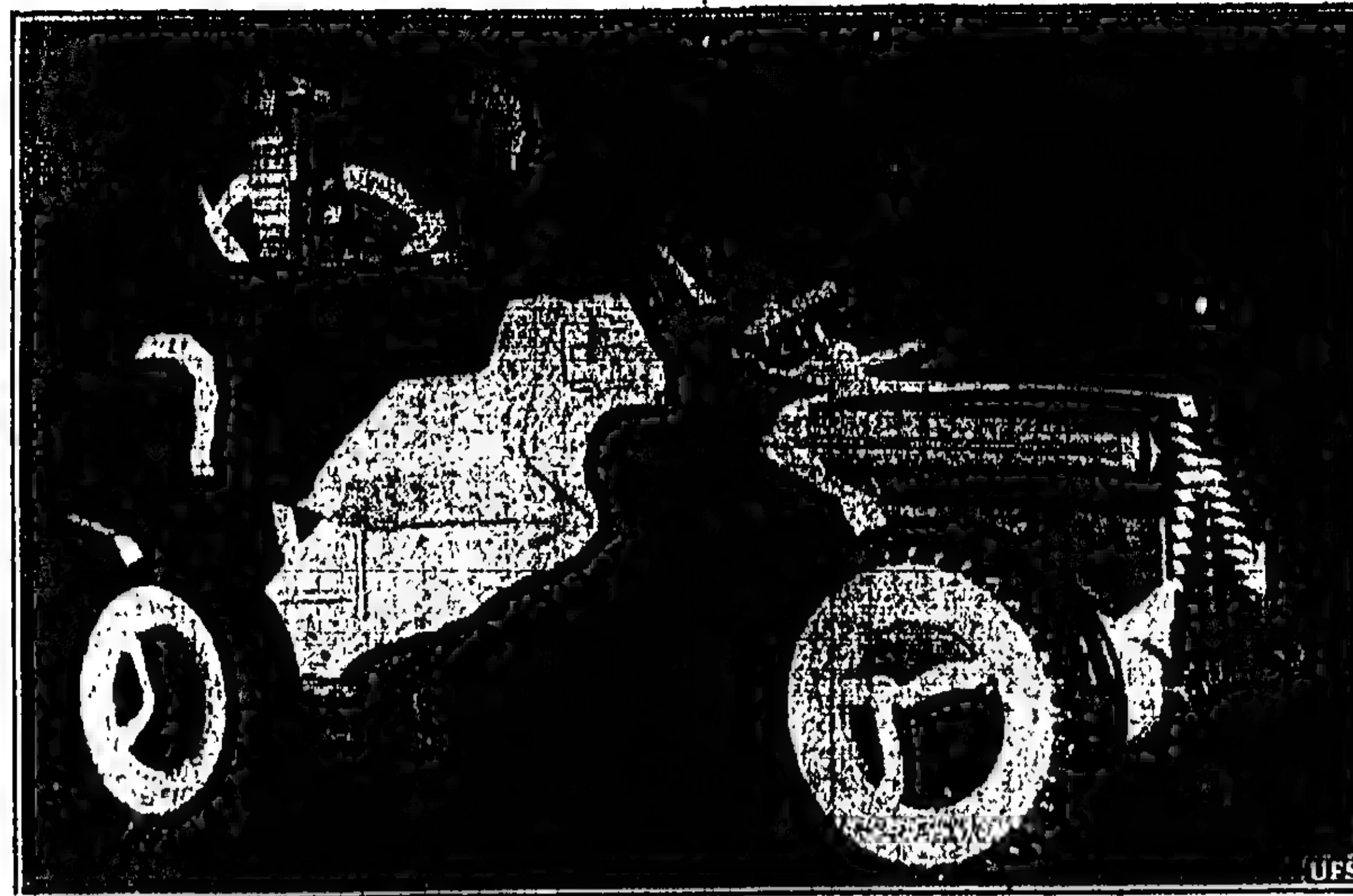
ACROSS

- 1—Relentless
- 2—Country of Asia
- 3—Town in Dorset
- 4—Pertaining to aeronautics
- 5—Chief justice U. S. Supreme Court (1874-82)
- 6—Fruit
- 7—Fast-flooding river
- 8—Fruit
- 9—Fruit (botanical)
- 10—African river
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- 1—Man's given name
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Joseph Buerckel, Nazi Commissioner for Austria, who announced in a Vienna speech restrictions on Catholics, assailing Cardinal Innitzer and the "political clergy." He said the church wantonly attacked the Government.



Theodor Cardinal Innitzer, 62-year-old Archbishop of Vienna, wounded in the forehead by flying glass after Nazi mobs partly wrecked the archbishop's palace in the Austrian capital. Rioting was said to be in retaliation for a sermon by the Cardinal in which he criticised the Nazis.



Prince Henry, Count of Paris and pretender to the extinct French throne, who made a dramatic secret airplane trip from Belgium to a Paris suburb to plead for the restoration of the monarchy. He asserted that otherwise France's capitulation at Munich would make her a second-rate power. His trip broke the traditional rule of exile, but he got away before French police heard about it.

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The sale of flags on behalf of the Hongkong Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals on Saturday, November 25, realised \$1,509.49. Of this sum \$951.74 was collected in Hongkong, the following being the amounts of the highest collectors:—Miss Yussall \$68.40; Mrs. Gerrard \$40.80; Miss Wong-Chai-yee \$31.40; and Miss Ma Lai-lau \$30.50. Mrs. Dicken was in charge of the organisation for Hongkong.

Kowloon sales under Mrs. Smalley amounted to \$817.75, but details of individual collections are not available.

The Hongkong S.P.C.A. extends warmest thanks to all those ladies who gave so much of their time, and to all those who so kindly contributed, thus enabling the Flag Day to be successful.

The Hon. Treasurer also wishes to acknowledge with thanks the following contributions towards the Society's funds:

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The S. C. M. Post has received the following donation to the Hongkong Emergency Refugee Council:

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DONATIONS AWAITING

Donations are lying at the Business Office of the South China Morning Post for the following:

Industrial Home for Blind Girls; Chinese Soldiers' War Relief; "B.F.R.D.C."; St. Vincent de Paul; Social Service of the Churches; St. John Ambulance Association; Emergency Refugee Council.

CHAPEL DEDICATED

Retiring G.O.C. Present At Stanley Function

The last service which the G.O.C., Major-General A. W. Bartholomew will attend in the Colony, was the dedication yesterday of the new Chapel accommodation in the recreation building for the Royal Artillery at Stanley. The building, in accordance with modern practice, contains all amenities for men living in barracks and one end is given over for a chapel, available for all denominations.

Rev. W. M. A. Farren, Assistant Chaplain General, dedicated the building and Rev. S. Hinchcliffe conducted the service. The chapel altar and furnishings were gifts from the 8th Heavy Regiment, Royal Artillery, the General Officer Commanding, the Officer Commanding, R.A., Hongkong; the late O.C., R.A., Hongkong; Officers; Non-Commissioned Officers; Artillery; Ladies of the Royal Artillery; the Aide-de-Camp and many others.

Mrs. Bartholomew was present at the service as were also Brigadiers A. B. Thomson, R. Burrows, J. T. W. Reeve, officers and their ladies. The Royal Artillery was, of course, present in strength. The music for the service was provided by the Middlesex Regiment.

RAILWAY MANAGER

Major R. D. Walker, M.C., who returned to the Colony by the Empress of Canada on Friday, has resumed duty as manager and chief engineer of the British section of the Kowloon-Canton Railway.

MOVING REFUGEES

Plan for Settlements Over the Border

ADVICE TO GIVERS

There is a distinct possibility of two refugee settlements being established just over the New Territories border, probably near Shumchun and Sha-tau-ko, within the next few days, it has been learned.

The main object of this move would be to encourage the thousands of Chinese peasants now subsisting on relief in the vicinity of Fanning and the border road to return to their villages where these are close to British territory. The authorities behind the relief projects feel it is essential that the refugees should pluck up their courage and go to their own homes now that the Japanese have removed a considerable distance from Shumchun as otherwise the burden of supporting and organising the huge, impoverished community of the New Territories will be extraordinarily difficult.

The plan to establish the two centres in Chinese territory will involve some delicate negotiating, it is realised, but its value will lie in instilling confidence in the refugees. There are no soldiers in Shumchun at present and the peasants could take up their lives where they were so suddenly interrupted ten days ago with the knowledge that British territory was still available to them as a refuge should hostilities recur. The Emergency Refugee Council is attempting to persuade its beneficiaries to this effect.

Co-ordination Needed

An official of the Council has again drawn attention to the need for co-ordinating the efforts of the charitable-minded through the Government-sanctioned E.R.C. While appreciating tremendously the generosity of those who have subscribed food, clothing, etc., for refugee relief work in the New Territories, it is pointed out that many refugees—and non-refugees—have received far more than their portion of relief assistance while others have gone hungry and unclothed because the relief bodies were not working together.

The Council has its headquarters in the Gloucester Hotel, Telephone Number 33400.

Annual Bazaar

Mrs. N. L. Smith Opens Sale at St. Paul's

Mrs. N. L. Smith opened the Annual Bazaar in aid of the Diocese of Victoria, Hongkong, which was held in St. Paul's College (by kind permission) on Saturday.

The Chairman of the Executive Committee, in calling upon Mrs. Smith to declare the sale open, thanked her for her presence, and said that the presence of so many people augured well for the success of the bazaar. In former years the Churches in other parts of China had assisted greatly by their generous donations, but this year conditions were changed, and the Chinese brethren of the Diocese in Hongkong had to depend on local sources to balance their budget. These present would fully appreciate the importance of the success of the bazaar.

Among the side-shows were darts, several games of skill, and a novel attraction—"The D.B.S. Shoe Shine Club."

St. Paul's Girls' College had a large stall of toys, novelties and miscellaneous articles. There were also a dolls' stall, book stall, woolies and fancy work, children's rattan chairs, confectionery, canned goods and embroideries.

ROTARY CLUB

At to-morrow's meeting of the Hongkong Rotary Club, Rotarian J. L. Wilson will give a talk on "Glimpses of Persia."

LATE NEWS

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WARSHIPS SHELL HAINAN ISLD

Chungking, Dec. 4. Ten Japanese warships are shelling various ports along the coast to Hainan Island, including Hailow, Yulin, Sian and Taising, according to Chinese reports.

It is believed this is to test the strength of the Chinese defence units.—Reuter.

Shanghai's Biggest Fire Kills Twelve

Shanghai, Dec. 5. The biggest fire here since the Chapel fire which brought the Shanghai hostilities to an end, occurred here yesterday within the yards of the headquarters of the British forces in the Shanghai area.

The fire broke out in a Chinese village on the western outskirts of the International Settlement, and it is estimated that at least 500 houses were destroyed.

Twelve Chinese are known to have lost their lives in the conflagration. British troops from the headquarters barracks assisted the French Concession and Settlement fire brigades to cope with the raging inferno, in which the flimsy Chinese huts were quickly burned to cinders. The crackling flames sent out huge columns of smoke which hung over the western district of the Settlement.

The fire was finally extinguished by 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.—Reuter.

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NAVAL VOLUNTEER PROJECTS

Establishments to Be Empire Wide

MORE CRAFT NEEDED

London, Dec. 4.

Arrangements are far advanced for building a chain of Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve establishments throughout the Empire, writes the Sunday Times naval correspondent.

This step marks the beginning of a co-ordinated effort on the part of the colonies to bear their part in naval defence of the Empire and its trade routes.

After recognising that the Dominions long had their Naval Volunteer Reserve divisions, the writer points out that the first colony to follow this lead is the Straits Settlements.

Recently R.N.V.R. divisions were established in Hongkong and Kenya. Steps are now being taken for establishment of similar organisations in Ceylon, Sierra Leone, Gambia, Nigeria and the Gold Coast.

Final legislation already been passed by the colonial authorities concerned and final legislation required to bring the divisions into being is expected shortly.

The establishment of a division in Malta is also under urgent consideration.

Discussing the development of the Straits Settlements division, the writer says there is now a call for increase in the number of permanent naval instructors.

Simultaneously with the R.N.V.R. developments, there will be a drive by the Royal Navy to effect a large increase in the number of craft available for auxiliary patrol duties in time of war. As more become available some—particularly small minesweepers and trawlers fitted for minesweeping and submarine hunting—will be placed at the disposal of the new reserve units.

Thus the reserve will be not only in personnel but also ships will be built up at all strategic centres of the Empire.—Reuter.

TAXI DAMAGED

Hits Verandah Pillar In Midnight Collision

A taxi was considerably damaged when it crashed into a verandah pillar in Hennessy Road near Canal Road West, Wanchai, about 1 a.m. yesterday.

The vehicle was being driven by Lo Chu-kee, and carried a woman passenger. Lo suffers injuries to his mouth and teeth while the woman was injured in the mouth and knees. Both were taken to the Queen Mary Hospital.

HIT AND RUN
A boy, Wong Chat, residing at Tung Street, West Point, was admitted to the Tung Wah Hospital on Saturday, suffering from injuries to his hips caused through being knocked down by an unknown motor car in Queen's Road West. The car did not stop.

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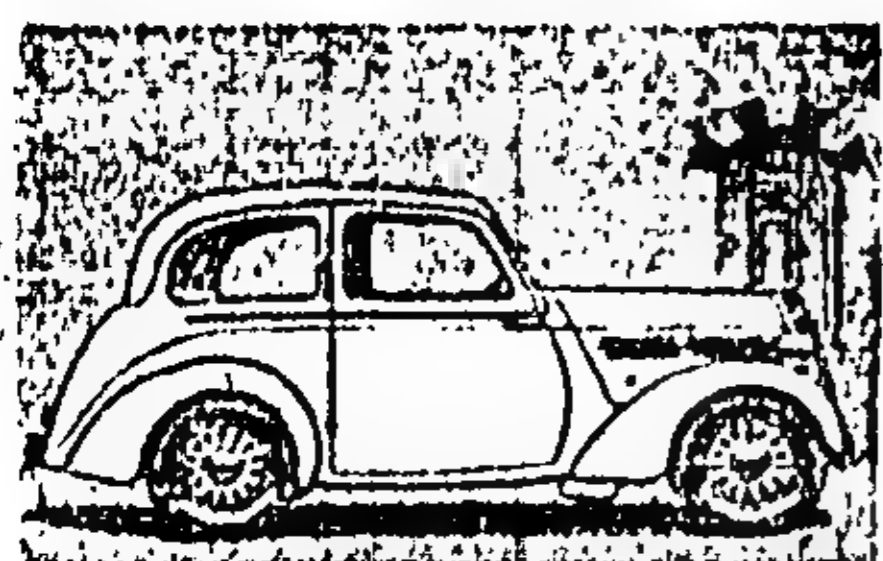
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TORTURERS' FIENDISH MURDER NEAR BORDER

Mutilated Body of Victim Had No Ears Or Thumbs

GRUESOME POLICE DISCOVERY

ONE OF THE MOST FIENDISH INSTANCES OF DEATH BY TORTURE EVER RECORDED IN HONGKONG HAS BEEN BROUGHT TO LIGHT BY THE RECOVERY OF THE BODY OF AN UNKNOWN CHINESE FROM THE SHUM CHUN RIVER.

The body, badly decomposed, was found floating in the river near Lokmachau, on the border.

Before the man had been put to death by having his throat gashed from end to end, his torturers had

cut off both his thumbs; cut off both his ears; criss-crossed his face and body with deep incisions, not sufficiently deep to cause his death, unless through shock, but merely as an additional method of torture. The final act was to slit the man's throat, thus ending his torture with swift and merciful death.

Preliminary investigations indicate that the fiendish crime was committed either in or on the shores of Deep Bay.

The waters of Deep Bay are British territory and for several weeks past have been infested with pirate craft, an average of at least one piracy a day, being reported to the police since the beginning of November.

The northern shores of Deep Bay are Chinese territory, recently occupied and evacuated by the Japanese.

The body of the unknown man, whose age is placed at about 30 years, is believed to have been washed up the still waters of Shum Chun by recent spring tides.

CLUE FROM CLOTHES

The gruesome discovery was made by a Chinese police officer attached to Lokmachau Police Station.

The man was dressed in tattered clothing, but only shreds remained when the body was discovered.

The blood-stained remains of the clothing may, however, give police a clue to the identity of the unknown man, and detectives have been assigned to the case.

DUKE OF KENT FOR NORWAY

London, Dec. 4. It is officially stated that the Duke of Kent will represent the King at the funeral of Queen Maud of Norway in Oslo on Thursday, as a result of the hunting accident sustained by the Duke of Gloucester. —Reuter.

Face Towel May Aid In Tracing Taipo Murderer

A SMALL FACE TOWEL, believed to have been sold at one of the Chinese departmental stores in Hongkong, may lead police to the murderer of an unknown Chinese man whose body was found on a hillside yesterday near the main New Territories highway to Taipo.

The battered body of the man was discovered, lying on its back, above the washing tanks near the highway.

The man's feet were tied with the small towel.

A large rock completely covered his battered face. Marks of injuries, on the lower part of the abdomen and on the torso indicated that the man had put up a terrific struggle before he had been overpowered and tied.



DR. C. T. WANG, former Chinese Ambassador to the United States, has returned to Hongkong by Pan American Clipper on Saturday. —Staff Photographer.

Big Opium Haul On H.K. Steamer

WHEN THE BLUE FUNNEL vessel Achilles arrived in Singapore recently from Hongkong, opium worth HK\$40,000 was discovered on board.

Singapore Excise officers boarded the ship as she lay alongside the Main Wharf at Keppel Harbour and discovered one of the largest hauls of illicit opium made this year.

The opium must have been stored on board the Achilles in Hongkong.

No extensive search was necessary to discover the opium, which was found in the fireman's forecastle, apparently ready to be lowered to a sampan. There were eight sacks, containing 2,726 tales of opium, valued at \$10 a tale. No ownership could be established.

Excise officers suspected that an attempt to smuggle opium ashore from the Achilles was to be made and a sea patrol kept watch the night before the seizure was made. This prevented the illicit "cargo" from being lowered to a sampan manned by accomplices of the smugglers.

This is the second recent haul of opium, brought from Hongkong, made by the Singapore revenue officers. Not long ago, 1,000 tales of opium was seized in the engine-room of the Swedish ship Miramar after it arrived from Hongkong with a cargo of coal for Borneo.

SOLDIERS DEPART FROM FRONTIER

H.K. Police Resume Complete Control

THE WITHDRAWAL of all soldiers from frontier posts was ordered by Army Headquarters in Hongkong at dawn this morning.

All Military Posts, including those which figured in the early incidents, were evacuated at 6 a.m. when the frontier was handed over to the civil authorities.

The 1st Battalion, The Middlesex Regiment, and the Rajputana Rifles, who were drafted to the frontier during the emergency period, returned to their camps at Lowa and Salwan concurrently with the military withdrawal.

The border is now completely normal, with increasing numbers of refugees returning to their farms and villages.

POPE HAS RELAPSE

ROME, Dec. 4. THOSE VERY CLOSE to the Pope were again seriously concerned to-day by the state of his health.

Signs of exhaustion made treatment by the Pope's medical attendant necessary this evening.

It is stated that disturbances in blood circulation have again occurred, but no official communication has yet been issued. —Trans-Ocean.

Italians' Riot With French In Shanghai

BLOOD FLOWS IN "BLOOD ALLEY"

SHANGHAI, Dec. 5.

BLOOD FLOWED in the famed "Blood Alley" last night in one of the biggest fights in the history of Shanghai, while more than 30 shots were fired when Italian marines and sailors fought French police, and Chinese and Russian policemen, serving with the French police.

An American patrol officer in "Blood Alley" said that at 10 p.m. two Italian marines, "apparently looking for trouble," set on and hit an American sailor.

He stopped the fight and told the Italians to "behave" after which the Italians entered the Frisco cabaret.

Cabaret patrons said that the Italians soon picked a fight with French sailors and British soldiers. The Italians were badly beaten up, and later they returned with a squad of Italian sailors who proceeded to wreck the Frisco cabaret.

The police arrived on the scene and immediately the Italians set on them. The police fired their revolvers into the cabaret's ceiling and also into the air as a warning, due to the fact that they were almost overpowered.

Police reinforcements made a timely arrival and averted a serious spilling of blood, after the officers had again fired into the air.

American and British sailors who were present in the Alley's cabarets were ordered to leave, the cabarets being closed down at 1 a.m. instead of the usual 5 a.m.

A squad of 40 Italian sailors from the gunboat Carlotta, under officers, rushed to the shore and marched to "Blood Alley" but they were stopped while the officers opened negotiations with police officials, later proceeding to police headquarters.

ARRESTS MADE

Six Italians were arrested, but four were later released and the others sent to hospital.

Ten minutes after the sailors had returned to their quarters, a truckload of Italian marines arrived and rushed the French police, causing the police again to fire into the air, after learning of unconfirmed reports that the Italians had shot one policeman and a civilian.

Very high French police officials and Italian officers and Consul officials then arrived at "Blood Alley."

The French authorities massed police, and the riot squad was drawn up facing the truckload of Italian marines, who stopped their attack when surrounded by the police.

However, the police withdrew their guard when the Italian officers promised to be responsible for the men not to leave if they were wanted for questioning.

Eye-witnesses said that the Italian marines, after slugging two French policemen, fired pistol shots. As a result French police had picked up cartridge cases which were scattered in the street for examination.

Two French policemen were badly slugged and sent to hospital. —United Press.

What the Film Censor Banned In Hongkong (See Page Six)

An Interview With a Pony

Japan To Buy Three Condor Type Planes

TOKYO, Dec. 4. According to the "Nichi Nichi," a contract will be signed shortly between the Japan Aviation Company and the German Focke-Wulf Aircraft Company for the purchase of three German monoplanes, sister-raft of the Condor plane which recently flew from Berlin to Tokyo in record time. The cost of the machines will be 800,000 yen each. Payment will be made in kind, including soya beans. —Reuter.

SHOOTING AFFRAY: MAN IN COURT

17-Year-Old Girl Charged With Arms Possession

The sensational shooting affray on Saturday morning, as a result of which Lance Sergeant H. R. Terrell lies in hospital dangerously wounded with a bullet in his throat, took a dramatic turn this morning.

At the Central Magistracy, three charges were preferred against S. L. Wong, alias Wong Wun. He was charged: (a) Wounding, or causing grievous bodily harm, with intent to murder, Herbert Ramsay Terrell; (b) Shooting with intent to do grievous bodily harm; (c) Being in possession of an unlicensed automatic pistol and one round of ammunition.

A 17-year-old Chinese girl, Chan Sin-kwan, was arraigned with Wong on the charge relating to the possession of the unlicensed pistol and ammunition. It is alleged that the girl was taken into custody with Wong when the police, acting on information, raided a room in Luk Kwok Hotel, Wanchai.

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Plane Saves Thirst-Crazed Crew Of Ship

Berlin, Dec. 4. Five thirst-crazed members of the crew of a sailing ship which was in distress near Bathurst, West Africa, owe their lives to the trans-Atlantic Lufthansa air liner.

Sighting their plight after crossing from Brazil, the airliner wirelessly to the mother-ship Ostmark, which was moored at the mouth of Camble. The Ostmark put to sea and rescued the crew to-day, while the plane flew on to Germany. —Reuter.

NO TEA DANCE

There will be no Tea Dance at the Hongkong Hotel to-day.



INTERVIEWED BY THE STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER HE SAID... One of the 94 ponies landed in Hongkong from North China last week seems to be expressing his views rather forcibly on his trip from war torn China to peaceful Hongkong.

Stalemate Ends War In North China

CHUNGKING, Dec. 5.

WAR PACE in south Hunan along the Canton-Hankow Railway and at central Hupeh along the Hankow-Ichang highway which was slowed down since a fortnight ago has now been further slackened to practically a stalemate with the invaders busily digging in to prevent Chinese counter-attacks.

At south Hunan, the Japanese are held up on the railway and along the Hupeh-Hunan highway within a radius of thirty kilometres from Yo-yang, while in central Hupeh the Japanese spearhead is about 100 kilometres west of Hankow.

Along the Tungting Lake, where Japanese gunboats had been most active two weeks ago, the place is described in military messages received here as quiet with occasional visits by Japanese planes doing reconnaissance work.

A message from Changteh stated severe artillery duel raged in the vicinity of Yo-yang on the morning of December 3 and lasted throughout the day. At Chenlingki, just above Yo-yang on the neck of the Tungting Lake, a big fire was reported raging. In central Hupeh, strongly held Chinese positions defied further Japanese westward thrust from Cheho, Kingshan and Tsao-shih.

The main force of the Japanese troops along this line, fearing constant guerrilla sniping and harassing from their hideouts along the Taipei Mountains, have been withdrawn to Hankow.

Throughout the extended Japanese line from Sinyang in south Hunan, Chinese guerrilla activities have been increasing following the receipt of Lushan and Hwangshihuan Japanese forces at Sinyang, according to a report from Chungking, are subject to constant raids by these partisans.

To the east of the Canton-Hankow Railway along the Szechwan-Kiang line, the Japanese are also subject to constant raids by these partisans.

LATE NEWS

TWO-FACED PHOTOGRAPHY UNMASKS THE FAMOUS

Phrenologists have been putting two and two together. At the Kingsway Hall recently the Phrenological Society showed lantern slide pictures of the illustrious—

Unretouched pictures, but each a face made with the left side duplicated on the right, or the right side duplicated on the left.

Most remarkable were the pictures of Goebbels. One pair gave him a depraved face; the other pair made him look like a saint.

Explanation of this experiment, given by Mr. E. W. Cousins, the Society's president, is that "the left side of the face reveals the conscious and the right side the unconscious content of the mind."

Heads and faces, Mr. Cousins declared, were just as accurate guides to identity as finger-prints. Phrenologists had examined millions of heads and never found two alike.

LACKS VISION

Here are some of the "head portraits" given by Mr. Cousins from photographs shown on the screen:

Chamberlain: Very high type of business man, but lacking in the vision necessary for a statesman. In the present critical period, if England is to be safeguarded, he should co-operate with a man who can foresee the consequences of action decades instead of mere months in advance. He has a practical material outlook; but no great imagination.

[Incidentally, the halves of his face, joined, made the face that everybody knows. The left and the right are much alike.]

Hitler: More than any other leader to-day, is ruled by the unconscious. "Vernon Bartlett shrewdly remarked Hitler's habit of muttering during interviews a sign of the hypnotic strain in him." Relies on hypnotic power of his voice. A menace to the world, because vain, cruel, destructive, aggressive, resentful of control, and capable of steadily working out a plan before acting. Strongly appreciative of the opposite sex.

"MAN OF DREAD"

Goebbels: In some ways superior to his chief, "A veritable man of dread." Cruel, secretive, shrewd, unscrupulous. Great executive ability. Mask of pleasantness deliberately assumed.

Eisen: More persistent than firm. Cautious. Vivid imagination and remarkable gifts, but a mental dilettante. Vital force weak in comparison with fine intellect. Too good looking for politics.

Mussolini: Full of fear and inhibitions camouflaged by bluster. Much higher intellectual capacity than Hitler. Has not made the most of his gift. But for this might be saviour instead of destroyer of other nations.

Highest Ever Man To Marry

A high-speed romance between Britain's highest-flying R.A.F. pilot and a United States debutante from Washington was followed by their wedding in a quiet Hampshire market town recently, barely three months after their first meeting.

The romance—between 35-year-old Squadron Leader F. D. R. Swain, who two years ago flew nearly 5½ miles above the earth, and 21-year-old Miss Sally Mitchell Le Fevre, daughter of a famous Washington family—began when Squadron Leader Swain visited the United States in August.

Their engagement was announced before his return to England, and his bride-to-be crossed the Atlantic a few weeks later to meet his mother for the first time.

JUST HIS JOB

"Your aviators certainly don't waste any time," said the bride. "Our wedding was quiet because my father is ill at home, and he and mother couldn't come over."

"My sister was here, though, and she was my matron-of-honour. She brought my trousseau with her." She declared that she has no worries about her bridegroom's flying exploits.

"If he has to make more record flights I guess that will be just part of his job," she said. "I'm very proud of his record."

Only Squadron Leader Swain's family attended the wedding at St. Joseph's Church, Havant. The bride was given away by Colonel J. Thwaytes, a cousin of the bridegroom.



Earl Stanhope, British Conservative, appointed to the post of First Lord of the Admiralty. He succeeds the high-spirited Alfred Duff Cooper who resigned during the Czecho-Slovakian crisis.

A MAGNIFICENT PROGRAMME GALAXY OF VARIETY STARS

The Royal Variety Performance is a great annual event. It is also a magnificent night out, with an atmosphere about it which other special performances cannot emulate.

For this is not like an ordinary all-stars show, in which players of great eminence descend for once in a way to play the sort of parts which would normally be beneath their notice, and in which they are not able to give their powers a chance. In this entertainment all the stars can twinkle their brightest, and the result is a blaze.

All the stars are not of the same magnitude, of course. That would be bad programme-building, and the whole essence of this entertainment is that it shows us the musical-hall at its best. But every turn has been selected to conform with the highest standard of quality.

In compliment to the Queen, there was a strong Scottish flavour about this year's programme. The Chief Scots were Renee Houston and Donald Stewart; and what a joy it was to encounter again Miss Houston's warm humanity and rich enjoyment of life. Here is one of the most likeable personalities on the variety stage, and would have taken her pretty near the top, even if she were not as clever as paint into the bargain.

She has courage, too. Not many people in front realised that she had strained a leg badly only the night before, or would have guessed that at the dress rehearsal in the afternoon she could hardly walk.

THE SCOTTISH NOTE

The Scottish note was sounded again by Ken Davidson and Hugh Forgie—so far, at any rate, as their names went—with their extraordinary badminton turn, and by the singers and dancers who accompanied Jack Payne's band. And there were the Aberdonians, three acrobats who did not seem to have a bone between them, and are a living denial of the idea that the people of Aberdeen are stiff.

The Crastonians, also, though they had a Spanish look when they first came on, finished up in kilts, which they wore with an accustomed air. There was nothing Scottish about Elsie and Doris Waters, however, whose Gert and Daisy had simply strolled in Greville Lambeth Bridge.

Evelyn Laye was in fine voice. Murray and Mooney have a good turn with a touch of originality to it. Richard Hearne's awful nightmare of having to dance the lancers with a set of invisible partners was good. And then there were Two Leslies, the Stuart Morgan Dancers, Les Allen, Hutton and Manners and the 24 Tiller Girls.

For finale the Lambeth Walk—a topical hit made to serve the purpose of getting a number of distinguished visitors (headed by Seymour Hicks and the Sisters Vanbrugh) together with the whole of the enormous cast on to the stage together and rounding the whole show off. Perhaps this was hardly fair to Lupino Lane and the "Me and My Girl" Company, who were forced to go through a not very comprehensible scene torn bodily out of their play. But by that time the audience had been far too well entertained to worry about such matters. They were delighted and showed it in the usual manner.

Newsman Taught Thrift

Cleveland. William G. Lavelle, 55-year-old newspaperman who died here recently, had a well-developed sense of thrift. He invariably presented every new father in the city room a savings account book made out in the name of the new arrival—he himself having deposited the first dollar.



At left is the Duchess of Kent, as she appeared at the recent dedication of the pump rooms at Bath, England, to chint with one of the patients taking the cure for rheumatism. The Duchess will accompany her husband to Australia next year, when he becomes Governor General.

Priestly Flays Theatre Snobs

PROVINCIAL SNOBBERY IS ONE OF THE BIG OBSTACLES TO THE REVIVAL OF THE THEATRE IN BRITAIN. THIS IS THE OPINION OF MR. J. B. PRIESTLEY, WHO WITH TWO PLAYS NOW RUNNING IN LONDON AND OTHERS BEING ACTED ABROAD IS MAKING THIS A "PRIESTLEY SEASON."

"The time is ripe now for creating a new interest in the theatre," he said.

"Provincial snobs, who will go to see plays only when the cast contains big West End names, are the enemies of the movement."

"MY KNEES WERE A BIT SHAKY"

Norwich.

Already 10-years-old Fenella Cushing, blue-eyed granddaughter of Norwich's Lord Mayor, is becoming known as "the little girl of the Court Circular."

For in that most exclusive of all chronicles, under the date-line "Sandringham, October 29, 1938," it is stated that "Miss Fenella Cushing had the honour of presenting a bouquet to the Queen."

In a dress of peach-coloured tulle, silk shoes, short socks, and a bandeau on her head, Fenella made her curtsy to the Queen, and handed her Majesty the bouquet, while thousands of Norwich citizens cheered.

The ceremony took place after the King had declared open their new city hall.

VERY THRILLING

Very rarely has the name of a small girl appeared in the Court Circular.

Schoolgirl Fenella does not at all grasp the importance of having her name included among all the dignitaries mentioned in the record of the King and Queen's visit to Norwich. But she does know that it is all very thrilling. Her grandfather, Councillor Charles Walling, genial dome-headed business man, thinks it is the nicest thing that has ever marked his long and busy civic career.

Fenella, hugging her knees and looking into the fire at her home, told about her experience. "I tried not to wobble when I curtsied to her Majesty," she said. "The curtsy part was all right, because I had been practising with my dancing mistress."

"But my knees were a bit shaky when I had to walk up that great big flight of steps in front of the City Hall to the stand where the King and Queen were."

"The Queen asked me how old I was, and when I told her she gave me such a nice smile."

Reginald Foort Feels "Insulted"

Mr. Reginald Foort, the organist, is angry with the Bolton Town Council, who have banned a concert which he was to have given in a local cinema.

"I take it as a personal insult," he said. "I have given concerts all over the country and I have never been treated like this before."

There was no suggestion of dance music or anything jazzy, and I was taking up Gwladys Garriod and Bernard Ross, the singers with whom I gave "Radio Song Sheet" recently. "The concert was timed to start at 8.15—well after the church services are over—and part of the proceeds would have gone to charity. I feel Bolton has no excuse for the shabby way they have treated me."

"The centralisation of theatres in a small area of the West End and the inflated finance of the London theatre are two other obstacles."

Yet Mr. Priestley pointed out that there was never a better opportunity for bringing the theatre to the people of Britain.

"Interest in the cinema is declining," he said. "There is no novelty about the talkie."

"I should like to see a ring of, say, twelve theatres in suburban districts with plays showing for a week in each theatre. The producer would be sure of at least twelve weeks' run and a decent return for his outlay."

Charladies' Curtsy Was Perfect

Two of the proudest women in London when Queen Mary opened the new Seamen's Hospital at Albert Dock, Tidal Basin, recently were Mrs. Annie Clench and Mrs. Harriet Madden, charwomen at the old hospital for many years.

They were presented to Queen Mary, and Mrs. Clench, who is 68 years, has made a vow to clean and polish every day the patch of linoleum on which Queen Mary stood.

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In Book They Tried to Stop, Ex-Secretary Launches BITTER ATTACK ON RAMSAY MacDONALD

"Double-crossed the Cabinet"

That Ramsay MacDonald in the crisis of 1931 "double-crossed" both his Socialist Cabinet colleagues and the Conservative and Liberal leaders is the burden of a bitter and trenchant attack, published recently by his former Parliamentary Private Secretary, Mr. L. MacNeill Weir, the Socialist M. P. for Stirling.

The author wrote *The Tragedy of Ramsay MacDonald* (Secker and Warburg, 15s.) while his old chief was still Prime Minister of the National Government. But he has found publication "a difficult and even dangerous adventure":

"Persuasion was tried first. I was told the publication of a book attacking Mr. MacDonald and the National Government would not be tolerated. Later, persuasion developed into coercion."

Mr. MacNeill Weir states that he was threatened with libel actions and prosecution under the Official Secrets Act. One inquirer as to the delay in the appearance of the book was told that "the Prime Minister doesn't like it."

"SHOT AT"

The author saw Mr. MacDonald at Downing-street on the day the National Government was formed, and urged him to explain his actions at a meeting of the Parliamentary Labour Party next day. The Prime Minister replied that he was returning to Loughborough that afternoon.

"Do you think that I am going there to be shot at by those fellows?" he asked. He proceeded to justify his decision to form a National Government.

His main indictment was against the bankers—and foreign bankers at that. It was a bold thing for MacDonald to do—this charging of France and America with dictation. It was a gigantic bluff. He knew that he was running the risk of its being called on both sides of the Atlantic.

Mr. MacNeill Weir goes so far as to suggest that a telephone call put through to New York by Mr. MacDonald, while the rest of the Socialist Ministers were in the garden at No. 10, was a hoax.

"MISLEADING"

As a negotiator he was guilty, the

author contends, not only of suppression, but of perversion of the truth:

The most glaring instance of this was when MacDonald came to the Cabinet and declared that the Tory and Liberal leaders considered the £26,000,000 cuts provisionally agreed upon as absolutely inadequate, and demanded from £25,000,000 to £30,000,000 more, "the bulk of which must come from the unemployed."

This, as was discovered later, was a tale that both Sir Herbert Samuel and Mr. Neville Chamberlain vehemently repudiated in the House of Commons.

Equally misleading, according to Mr. MacNeill Weir, was the version which Mr. MacDonald gave to the Conservative and Liberal leaders of the Socialist Cabinet's attitude towards the cuts.

The author suggests that the idea of a National Government with himself at the head had been in Mr. MacDonald's mind for some time.

In 1929, just before the formation of the second Socialist Government, we are told that Mr. MacDonald secretly approached Lord (then Mr.) Baldwin in order to "make a deal with the Tories to keep Labour in office."

"UNPOPULAR"

Long before his Premiership ended, says Mr. MacNeill Weir, Mr. MacDonald had become most unpopular.

His reception, from both sides of the House, when he intervened in debate, was significant. It was definitely unfriendly, often discourteous, and sometimes contemptuous.

He went, and he wasn't kicked out. It may be that he stepped out one jump ahead of the kick. His biographer regards him as by



To clear railroad lines of mines laid by Arab terrorists in Palestine, armoured cars manned by Royal Engineers and Royal West Kents—nicknamed the "Suicide Squad"—are sent ahead of trains. A projected mine sweeper explodes the mines before the cars arrive directly over them. Above, an armoured car proceeds ahead of a train near Tulkarm.

nature a Conservative. "He never acted precipitately; he had always a hundred reasons for not acting at all."

IN PRIVATE LIFE

He claimed, says this bitter critic, to be a man of simple tastes and simple habits.

In theory, he would enjoy the rural seclusion of a little village on the south coast. In reality, he hurried from it to the crowded beach at Brighton to make a "progress" along the promenade—the observed, of all characters.

The real MacDonald was much more of the sylvan than the anchorite.

He had few friends. "It is difficult to think of any man looking on him with affection; it is impossible to think of him holding that affection long."

"MacDonald trusted nobody."

He had a feminine avidity for scandal and, with characteristic disloyalty, would listen to any aspersion or disparagement of his Ministers and colleagues.

From morning till night on most days he spent his time listening luxuriously to the "tinsel clink of compliment," the most precious hours of the day were passed. The evening, too, was often spent in the role of society lion in the salons of Mayfair.

The maxim *de mortuis nil nisi bonum* should not, the author thinks, be held to apply to the political conduct of a statesman. He has certainly not allowed it to modify his rancour against his former chief.

Student Nurses Can Use Lipstick

Girls whose ambition it is to take up nursing will be able to have a year's trial before adopting the profession under a new scheme announced by the West London Hospital recently.

The scheme is intended to attract more girls to the nursing profession.

Non-resident students of nursing will be admitted to the hospital at the age of 17 for a three-terms course. They will wear overalls instead of uniforms, can wear any colour clothes they like, and use lipstick if they choose.

EMPIRE NEWS

DAIRYING PROBLEM IN NEW ZEALAND

Auckland. Mr. McKenzie, chairman of Co-operative Dairies, in a speech drew attention to the fall in the production of primary commodities. The problem was becoming a serious one, he said, for on a long term view the basis for the prosperity of the Dominion was ever-increasing production.

Last season's output of the dairying business was six per cent. down on the present season showed a 19 per cent. fall. The Province of Auckland was producing less lambs' wool. Dairying had suffered from the drought, the eczema epidemic, and shortage of farm labour. People would soon be going out of the dairy trade.

AUSTRALIA

SPEEDING UP AIR MAIL TRANSFERS

Sydney. An interesting experiment has been carried out which will make for greater speed in the transfer of air mails for Britain from New Zealand. These are now being transferred direct by tender from the incoming steamer from New Zealand to the flying boat lying in Rose Bay, the terminal in Sydney harbour of the Empire air service.

The New Zealand air mail for Britain, costing only 1½d. a half-ounce, is still larger than the air mail from Australia, where the postage is 3d. Australian firms are sending circulars to Britain by way of New Zealand and back. The total cost by this roundabout route is 3½d. The time taken is still much less than by the ordinary mail ship.

New Pacific Line.—A new direct cargo and passenger service is to be established between Northern Australian ports and the Pacific coast of America. The *Thor I*, a new ship with a speed of 12 knots, is to leave San Francisco in January with general cargo, and is to be followed by another vessel in February.

Boon Defence Vessel.—The first of the three boom defence vessels being built at Cockatoo Island Dockyard, Sydney harbour, has been launched. The vessel, named *Kookaburra*, after the Australian bird commonly known as the "laughing jackass"—will be equipped to erect and operate submarine booms at the entrances of harbours.

INDIA

RIVAL KHANS IN FRONTIER WAR

Calcutta. Reports from the North-West Frontier of 100 casualties in a clash between rival Khans suggest that the war, an annual one among these inhabitants of a barren countryside, is a more serious affair than in the past.

The struggle is between the Khan of Khair and his cousin, the Khan of

Twelve girls will be admitted at once, straight from school. They must have obtained the London Matriculation or School Certificate. They must also live within 10 miles of the hospital. There will be no fees. In fact, in special cases, they will receive bursarships of £20 each. The girls will be required to attend the hospital five days a week.

"There is no actual shortage of nurses at the moment," the matron (originator of the scheme) said. "The number of nursing hospitals has increased with the greater facilities in nursing. We anticipate that many more nurses will be wanted when the 90-hours fortnight begins."

"At the end of the year the girls will be able to choose whether they will take up nursing or not."

At present girls of 18 and over are taken for a three-months probationary period, after which they contract to continue their work.

Nawagai. Each hopes that the victor may gain a position of power and influence in Bajaur and adjoining tribal areas. The Government of India has made it clear to both parties that it desires an early peaceful settlement.

Birthday Amnesty.—On the occasion of the 27th birthday of the Maharaja of Travancore, amnesty has been granted to all political prisoners arrested during civil disobedience movement by the State Congress party.

KENYA

SCHEME TO INCREASE SETTLEMENT

Plans for increased white settlement in Kenya will shortly be before the Colony. A committee has been working for some months preparing a scheme. There is much less Crown land available now than formerly. The new scheme will be based on subdivision of present holdings.

A publicity expert has been engaged to spread a knowledge of Kenya conditions in Great Britain. During the depression Kenya lost 200 white settlers and 6,000 acres have gone out of European occupation.

UGANDA

RELIEF FOR COTTON GROWERS

Kampala. For the immediate relief of cotton growing in Uganda the Government Commission which is inquiring into the industry, in an interim report recommends that the export duty should be reduced forthwith to 1c. per lb. The maximum ginning charge should be fixed for the ensuing season at 10c. 1½d. per lb. Registration of buyers is suggested to put an end to the cheating and malpractices which have been all too common in the past.

INDIA

MR. MACKENZIE KING ON HOLIDAY

Kingston. Mr. Mackenzie King, Prime Minister of Canada, arrived in Jamaica recently for a short holiday. During his stay he will probably study the conditions of trade between the Dominion and Jamaica, especially as the present treaty between Canada and the West Indies comes up for revision next year.

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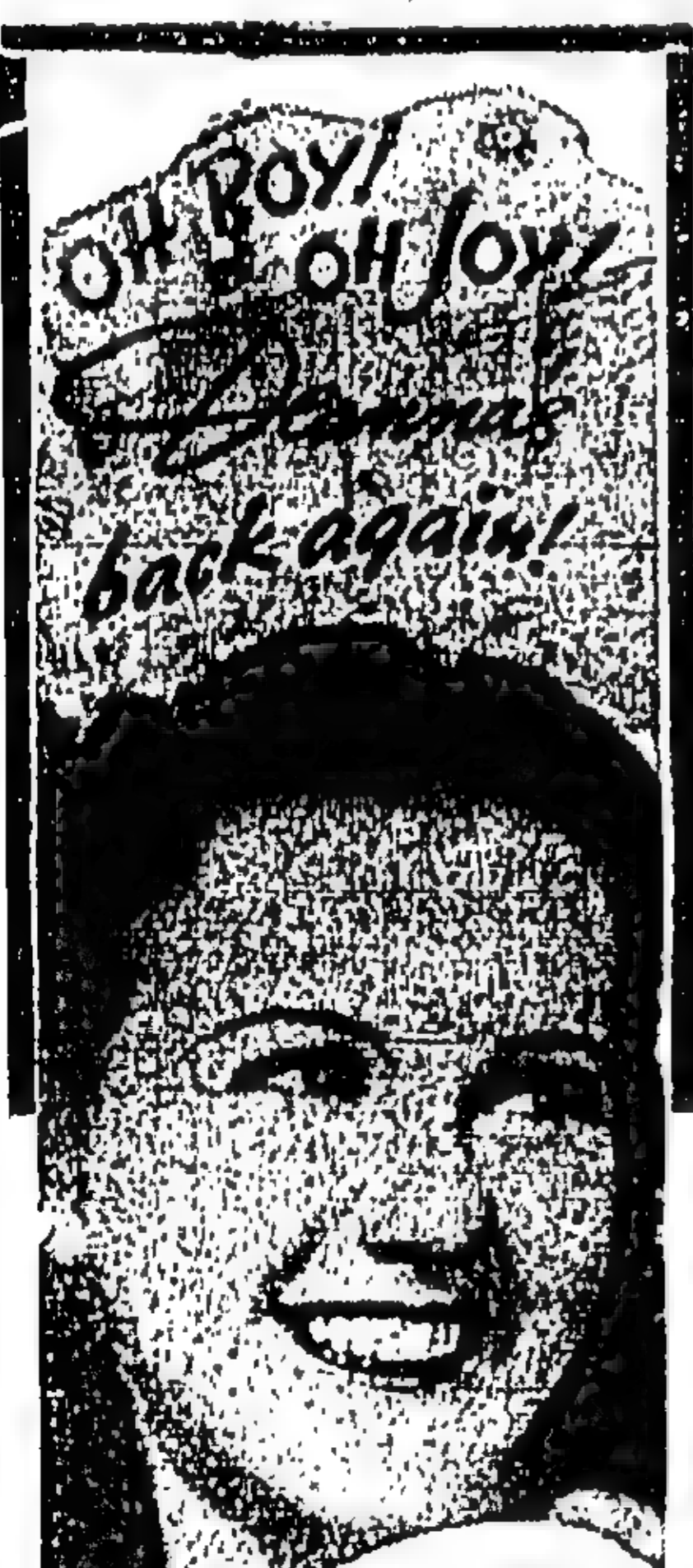
Shanghai, Dec. 5. The biggest fire here since the Chinese fire which brought the Shanghai hostilities to an end, occurred here yesterday within 50 yards of the headquarters of the British forces in the Shanghai area.

The fire broke out in a Chinese village on the western outskirts of the International Settlement, and it is estimated that at least 500 houses were destroyed.

Twelve Chinese are known to have lost their lives in the conflagration.

British troops from the headquarters barracks assisted the French Concession and Settlement fire brigades to cope with the raging inferno, in which the flimsy Chinese huts were quickly burned to cinders. The crackling flames sent out huge columns of smoke which hung over the western district of the Settlement.

The fire was finally extinguished by 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.—Reuter.



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ITALIAN CLAIM FOR FRENCH TERRITORIES

Press Attacks Grow

ROME, Dec. 4. WITH UNSLACKENING vigour the press continues its attacks on France, and demands a further development of the Munich agreement to Italy's advantage.

Both the "Popolo di Roma," and Signor Gayda in "Voce d'Italia" scout the idea that Italy can be satisfied with the Franco-Italian agreement of 1935.

Gayda says that Italy has a right to intervene in certain directions to re-establish an equilibrium so necessary, right and proper now that she has conquered Ethiopia.—Reuter.

BRITISH ENVOY SEE CIANO

London, Dec. 4. Count Ciano is understood to have informed both the British and French Ambassadors yesterday that he was unable to take responsibility for the shouts of individual deputies.

It is learned that Lord Perth saw Count Ciano twice yesterday and enquired regarding the significance to be attached to the incident in the Chamber.

In the second conversation, says Reuter's diplomatic correspondent, it was presumed that Lord Perth referred to the Anglo-Italian pact provision which stipulates that neither Power wishes for alteration in the territorial status quo of the Western Mediterranean.

It was gathered to-night that there was no reason to believe that Italy has any intention of not standing by the terms of the agreement.—Reuter.

FIRM STAND BY FRANCE

Paris, Dec. 4. The firm and prompt reaction in France and among the populations of Corsica and Tunisia to the Italian demonstrations, coupled with Count Ciano's reply to the French representations, are considered here to have closed the recent incident unless the problem is raised officially, or the Italian press campaign again becomes violent.

Le Temps points out that while the Italian press refers to the Franco-Italian agreement of 1935 as non-existent, it does not mention that under the agreement France ceded certain territories to Italy, namely Southern Libya, and the island of Dumeira.

Thirty-five thousand persons in Alcinco demonstrated in favour of France to-day. Marching in a column over a mile long behind the Mayor and Municipal Councillors, and shouting "Vive Corse," "Vive France," they marched towards the Italian Consulate outside of the town, where they were stopped by a large force of police.

A big demonstration similarly arranged in Bastia passed off quietly. French and vernacular newspapers in Tunisia continue to protest against the Italian demonstration. Telegrams and letters expressing loyalty to France are pouring in to the Resident-General.—Reuter.

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Rome, Dec. 4. Italy's claims to Tunisia are regarded as one of the chief clues on which

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Soviet Seamen Arrested, Claim Ill-Treatment

Moscow, Dec. 4. Allegations of the arrest and ill-treatment of eleven Soviet fishermen, picked up in the sea by two Japanese vessels, have aroused public indignation here.

According to the Soviet authorities, the ship-wrecked mariners, after being arrested and ill-treated, were held to effect an exchange for frontier violators detained by the Soviet, instead of being assisted to return home.—Reuter.

WARSHIPS SHELL HAINAN ISLAND

Chungking, Dec. 4. Ten Japanese warships are shelling various ports along the coast to Hainan Island, including Hailow, Yulin, Sinan and Taising, according to Chinese reports.

It is believed this is to test the strength of the Chinese defence units.—Reuter.

the chances of her sinking her difference with France depend.

The success Italy considers she achieved as arbiter at Munich and Vienna, and her confidence in German support and the feeling of security given her by the completion of the Anglo-Italian agreement, has combined to make Italy set a high price for the resumption of the Franco-Italian talks.

It is noteworthy that French occupation of Tunisia was the determining factor in Italy's decision to ally herself with Germany, Austria and Hungary in 1932.

Out of a total European population in Tunisia of 213,000, some 100,000 are French and 94,000 Italians, including naturalized Italians.

Italy would now like not merely to regain the rights held by Italians in Tunisia surrendered under the Laval agreement of 1935, which Italy considers to have lapsed owing to French participation in sanctions during the Abyssinian war, but, by the extension of the minorities principle adopted at Munich, to encroach on the territorial integrity of the French possession.

Italy's other demands relate firstly to Suez Canal dues, one Italian suggestion being that the Canal Company should be converted into a public utility, secondly that Italy would like to control the Djibouti railway, and thirdly that France should acquiesce in a Spanish settlement favourable to General Franco.

British circles here, however, are inclined to believe that Italy will finally reduce her terms.—Reuter.

JAPANESE SUPPORT

Tokyo, Dec. 4. Support for Italy's claims against France is voiced in an article in the Yomiuri Shimbun, which says that it is wiser for both countries to give due consideration to the question of reaching an amicable settlement by reasonable measures.—Reuter.

ANGLO-GERMAN PACT TO BE SIGNED

Berlin, Dec. 4. Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop's departure for Paris to sign the Anglo-German peace declaration comes as a climax to several weeks of propaganda in the press, over the radio, and in the utterances of public men.

References to France on the subject of the general strike were so overwhelmingly and suddenly sympathetic as to arouse comment in diplomatic quarters here.

It is considered in these circles that signature of the Franco-German declaration must be considered in connection with the anti-French demonstrations in the Italian Chamber, as it is felt inconceivable that the latter could have occurred without the approval of the German Government.

One of the objects of this demonstration, it is believed, was to create a diversion in the south in order to give greater emphasis to Germany's gesture in the north, with the whole aim of furthering her designs in other parts of Europe.

The official view is put in the Diplomatic Correspondence which says that the "anticipated German-French declaration is intended to overcome prejudices and to create a new basis for fruitful collaboration. The States of order which oppose the decomposing forces in the world, now open their doors to the good, reconstructive forces of other nations."—Reuter.

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18
SHOPPING DAYS
TO
CHRISTMAS

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning.

H.K. Banks, \$1400 ss.
H.K. Bank (Lon. Reg.), £83 n.
Chartered Bank, £84½ n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B., £27¼ n.
Mercantile Bank, C. £13 n.
East Asia Bank, \$88 n.
Insurance
Canton Ins., \$215 ss.
Union Ins., \$485 n.
China Underwriters, 75 cts. ss.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$190 n.
Shipping
Douglas, \$60 b.
H.K. Steamboats, \$18 n.
Indo-China (Pref.), \$90 n.
Indo-China (Def.), \$24 n.
Shell Bearer, s/- 82½ n.
Union Waterboats, \$8 n.
Docks Etc.
H.K. & K. Wharves, \$118 ss.
H.K. Docks (old), \$18¼ n.
H.K. Docks (new), \$17¼ n.
Providents (old), \$3.70 ss.
Providents (new), \$3.40 ss.
New Engineering Sh., \$4.80 n.
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$100 n.
Kailan Mining Adm., s/- 17/- n.
Rauha, \$9.10 b.
Venz Goldfield, \$3 n.
Hongkong Mines, 7½ cts. n.
Philippine Mining
Antamoks, P. 48 ss.
Suyce Consol., P. 19½ ss.
United Paracels, P. 22 ss.
Lands, Hotels, etc.
H. and S. Hotels, \$0.55 ss.
H.K. Lands, \$35 ss.
H.K. Lands 4½ deb. 107½ n.
Shanghai Lands, Sh. \$8.00 n.
Humphreys, \$8¼ b.
H.K. Realities, \$5¼ n.
Chinese Estates, \$98 n.
Public Utilities
H.K. Tramways, \$16.80 b.
Peak Trams (old), \$6¼ n.
Peak Trams (new), \$3¼ n.
Star Ferries, \$71 b.
Yauwatt Ferries (old), \$23 n.
Yauwatt Ferries (new), \$22¼ n.
China Light (old), \$10.70 b.
China Light (new), \$10.40 b.
H.K. Electric, \$50¼ b.
Macao Electric, \$17¼ n.
Sandakan Lights, \$10.20 b.
Telephone (old), \$23.50 n.
Telephone (new), \$8.00 n.
Singapore Tractions, s/- 22/6 n.
Singapore Pref., s/- 25/- n.
Industrial
Cold Macq. (ord.), Sh. \$14 n.
Cold Macq. (Pref.), Sh. \$13 n.
Canton Ice, \$170 b.
Cements, \$15.20 n.
H.K. Ropes, \$4.65 ss.
Stores, &c.
Dairy Farms, \$24 b.
Watsons, \$7 b.
Lane Crawford, \$8¼ n.
Sincere, \$2 n.
Wing On (H.K.), \$38 n.
William Powell, Ltd., 90 cts. n.
Cotton Mills
Ewa Cotton Sh. \$16.10 n.
Shai Cotton Sh. \$110 n.
Zoong Sings, Sh. \$24 n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$40 n.
Miscellaneous
H.K. Entertainment, \$8¼ n.
Constructions, \$13 n.
Vibro Piling, \$8¼ b.
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 GS Bonds, 31½ n.
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 6% prm. b.
H.K. Govt. 3½% Loan par b.
Marsmans (Lon.), s/- 16/8 n.
Marsmans (H.K.), s/- 3/- n.

EXCHANGE

Selling
T.T. London 1s. 2½
Demand 1s. 2½
T.T. Shanghai 175 Nom.
T.T. Singapore 53½
T.T. Japan 108½
T.T. India 83
T.T. U.S.A. 29
T.T. Manila 58½
T.T. Batavia 53½
T.T. Bangkok 140½
T.T. Saigon 109½
T.T. France 10.97½
T.T. Germany 72½
T.T. Switzerland 84½
T.T. Australia 1/0½
Buying
4 m/s L/c London 1/3¼
4 m/s D/p do 1/3.5/2
4 m/s L/c U.S.A. 29½
4 m/s France 11.80
30 d/s India 84½
U.S. Cross rate in London 4.68½

REICH CONSUL-GENERAL LEAVES U.S.

San Francisco, Dec. 4. Baron Manfred von Killinger, the German Consul-General has left for Berlin where he is "combining private, with official business." He will, his attaché states, make a report to the Government on general conditions on the Pacific seaboard of the United States, including the mysterious explosion last month on the German freighter, Vancouver.—Reuter.

ST. ANDREW'S VICAR

The Rev. J. R. Higgs, vicar of St. Andrew's, Kowloon, is due to arrive back from Airlough with Mrs. Higgs and their son, on Thursday. The Vicar will preach at Evensong next Sunday and there will be a social gathering to welcome him in the Hall afterwards.

U.S. To Float \$400,000,000 Bond Issue

Washington, Dec. 4. The United States Treasury on December 15, will offer for cash \$400,000,000 worth of 1900-05 two and three-quarters per cent. bonds, as well as \$300,000,000 worth of 1½ per cent. five-year notes. Similar bonds and notes in additional quantities will be offered on a dollar for dollar basis to the holders of \$242,000,000 maturing 1½ per cent. notes. The maturing notes may also be exchanged in part for the new series of two per cent. Treasury bonds.—Reuter.

Ships Tied Up In Le Havre

Paris, Dec. 4. Five thousand dockers and seamen at Le Havre are involved in a strike against M. Daladier's requisitioning order.

Twenty French ships, including the Normandie, and all trans-Atlantic tugs have been immobilised.—Reuter.

PRESIDENT'S SON JOINS THE FILMS

Hollywood, Dec. 4. The President's son, Mr. James Roosevelt, announces his acceptance of a position with the film industry as vice-chairman of Samuel Goldwyns.

Until his retirement last month, James Roosevelt served as his father's private secretary.—Reuter.

6,000 MILLION YEN WAR BUDGET

Tokyo, Dec. 4. Financial circles here predict that Japan's special military budget for the year ending March, 1940 will probably reach 6,000,000,000 yen. Of this, 4,000,000,000 yen will be allotted to the War Office, and the total will exceed the current year's nonappropriation by 743,000,000 yen.—Reuter.

MEXICAN ACE SETS RECORD

Mexico City, Dec. 3. Captain Francis Sarabia, one of Mexico's air aces, lowered the record for the "hop" from Los Angeles by more than one hour. He landed his monoplane here at 2.13 p.m., having completed the 1,050 miles journey from Los Angeles in 6 hours 34 minutes non-stop.—United Press.

NEW CHINESE ENVOYS

Chungking, Dec. 4. Mr. Hsieh Wei-tung has been appointed Chinese Minister to the Scandinavian countries, while Mr. Wang Ching-chi, at present Minister to Stockholm, will be leaving on December 11 for Warsaw to assume the post of Chinese Minister to Poland.—Reuter.

STOCK MARKET REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued at 12.30 p.m. December 3, says: Market was very firm with an upward tendency. In spite of a further advance in prices to-day, shares continue to be scarce.

Buyers
Hongkong Bank \$1,350
Union Insurance \$420
Douglas \$50
H.K. & K. Wharves \$118
Providents (Old) \$3.40
Providents (New) \$3.40
Rauha \$9.10
H. & S. Hotels \$6.40
H.K. Lands \$34½
Humphreys \$8¼
H.K. Tramways \$16.80
Star Ferries \$71
China Lights (Old) \$10.70
China Lights (New) \$10.40
H.K. Electric \$50¼
Sandakan Lights \$10.20
Cementa \$15.20
Wire Farms \$24
Watsons \$7
Vibro Piling \$8¼
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 6% prm. b.
H.K. Govt. 3½% Loan par b.
Sellers
China Underwriters \$0.75
H. & S. Hotels \$6.40
H.K. Ropes \$4.65
Hongkong Bank \$1,350/30
H.K. & K. Wharves \$117
Providents (Old) \$3.50/30
H.K. Lands \$34½
Antamoks P. 48
Alots P. 30
H. & S. Hotels \$6.40
Coco Grove P. 30
Consolidated Mines P. 0.035
Demonstrations P. 19½
San Maurizio P. 1.50
Suyce P. 19½
United Paracels P. 22

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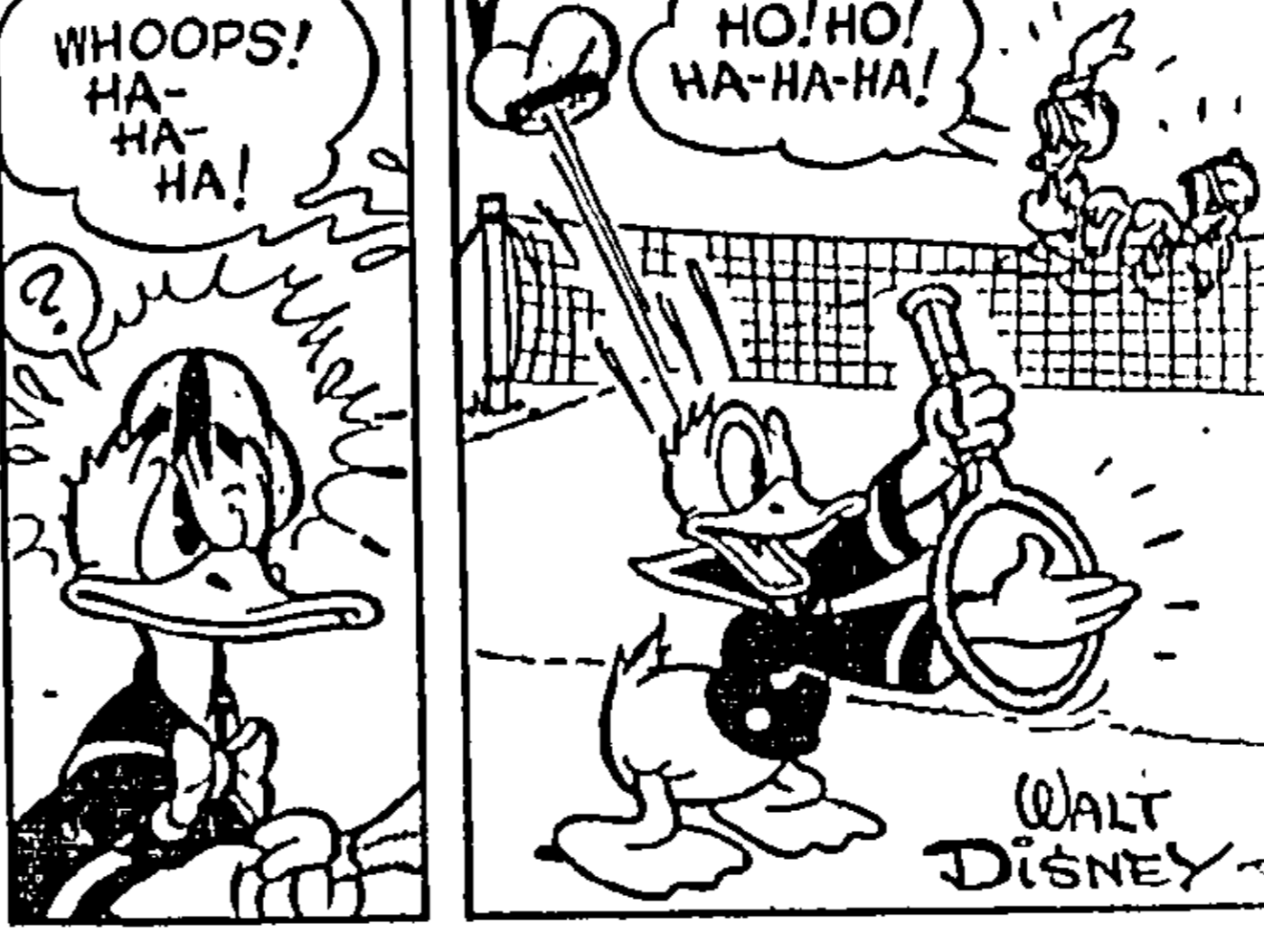
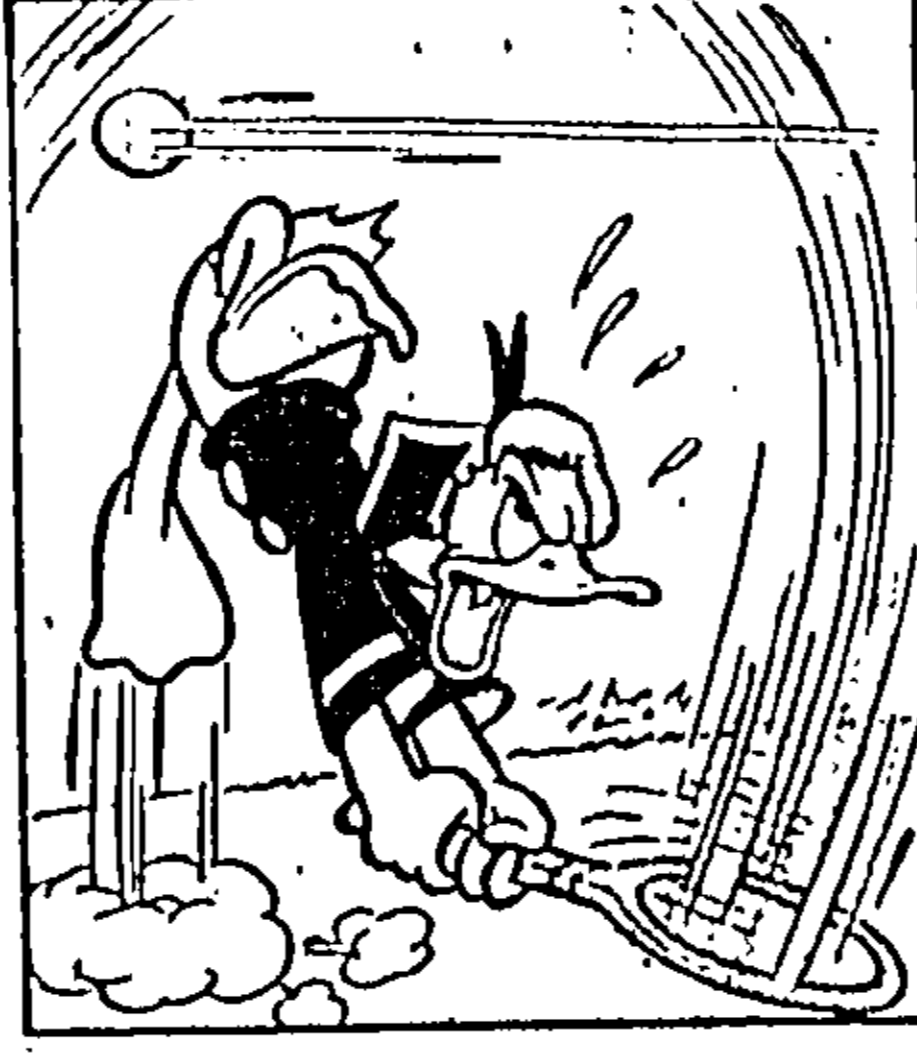
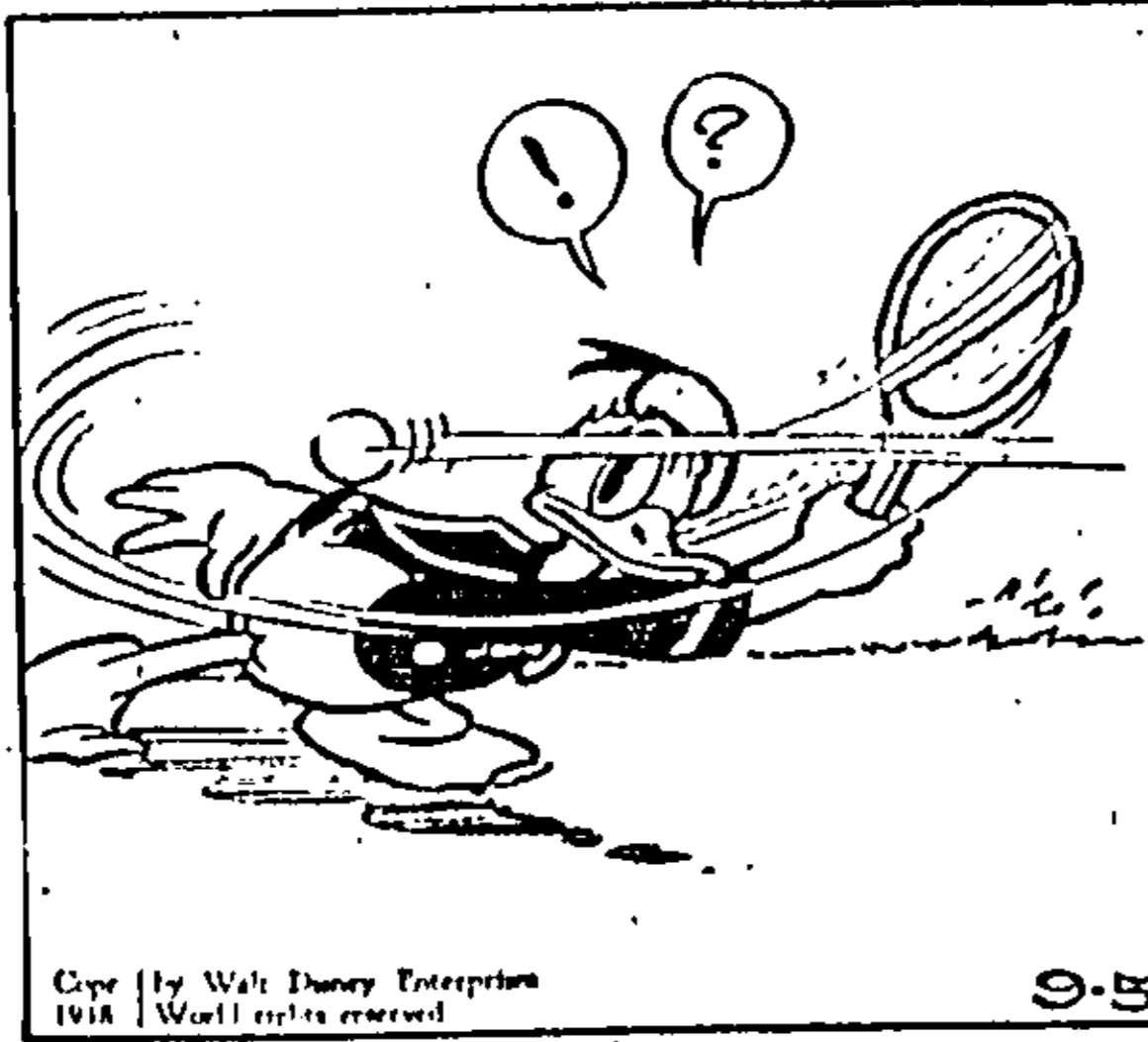
INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due
Japan	Arabia Maru	December 5.
Straits	Antiochus	December 6.
Australia and Manila	Changste	December 6.
Haiphong, Pakhoi and Hoihow	Kingyuan	December 6.
Parcels from Calcutta and Straits	Taima	December 6.
Manila	Emp. of Canada	December 7.
Tientsin and Swatow	Hoihow	December 7.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 1st December	Imperial Airways Plane	December 7.
Haiphong	Laos	December 7.
Japan and Shanghai	Arumis	December 8.
Straits and Europe via Suez (Papers etc.) London date, 10th November		
ber and London Parcels—London date, 3rd November	Chitral	December 8.
Saigon	Marechal Joffre	December 8.
U.S.A., Honolulu and Japan (San Francisco date, 18th November)	Pres. Coolidge	December 8.
Straits	Aeneas	December 8.
Japan and Shanghai	M/V Canton	December 9.
Java	Tibadak	December 9.
Shanghai	Tokusima Maru	December 9.

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
Monday		
Swatow, Shanghai and Tientsin	Wingsang	Mon., Dec. 5, 1.30 p.m.
Mombasa, Beira, Lourenco Marques, (and Parcels and Papers for South Africa via Durban)	Arabia Maru Mon.	Dec. 5, 2.30 p.m.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 12th December.	Imperial Airways Plane	Mon., Dec. 5.
	R.F.O.	
	Reg.	Dec. 5, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Dec. 5, 5.30 p.m.
	G.F.O.	
	Reg.	Dec. 5, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Dec. 5, 7 p.m.
	G.F.O.	
Air Mail for Malaya, Java and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney, 12th December.	Imperial Airways Plane	Mon., Dec. 5.
	R.F.O.	
	Reg.	Dec. 5, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Dec. 5, 5.30 p.m.
	G.F.O.	
	Reg.	Dec. 5, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Dec. 5, 7 p.m.
	G.F.O.	
Tuesday		
Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya	Tilandane	Tues., Dec. 6, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow, Fochow and Tientsin	Yingchow	Tues., Dec. 6, 8.30 a.m.
Hoihow and Pakhoi	Klungchow	Tues., Dec. 6, Noon.
Fort Bayard and Haiphong	Jean Dupuis	Tues., Dec. 6, 2 p.m.
Swatow and Fochow	Selstan	Tues., Dec. 6, 3 p.m.
Wednesday		
Haiphong	Norviken	Wed., Dec. 7, 10 a.m.
Swatow and Tientsin	Fooshing	Wed., Dec. 7, 10.30 a.m.
Amoy	Anshan	Wed., Dec. 7, 1.30 p.m.
	Tsinau	Wed., Dec. 7, 3.30 p.m.
Thursday		
Shanghai and Japan	Marechal Joffre	Thurs., Dec. 6, 1.30 p.m.
	Arumis	Thurs., Dec. 6, 3.30 p.m.
Saigon	Imperial Airways Plane	Thurs., Dec. 6.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 15th December	Imperial Airways Plane	Thurs., Dec. 6.
	R.F.O.	
	Reg.	Dec. 6, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Dec. 6, 5.30 p.m.
	G.F.O.	
	Reg.	Dec. 6, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Dec. 6, 7 p.m.
	G.F.O.	
Air Mail for Malaya, Java and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney, 17th December.	Imperial Airways Plane	Thurs., Dec. 6.
	R.F.O.	
	Reg.	Dec. 6, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Dec. 6, 5.30 p.m.
	G.F.O.	
	Reg.	Dec. 6, 5 p.m.
	Ord.	Dec. 6, 7 p.m.
	G.F.O.	

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FIRE DESTROYS DAEDALUS

Outbreak During Test At Bangkok

The Daedalus, one of the planes regularly employed by Imperial Airways on the run from Bangkok to Hongkong, was totally destroyed by fire at Bangkok late on Saturday afternoon.

On Friday the Daedalus flew from Hongkong with a heavy consignment of Christmas mail. She was overhauled on Saturday in preparation for her intended return to Hongkong yesterday and her engines had just been started up for a final check-over when she caught fire.

Little could be done to check the flames and the machine was destroyed.

The Daedalus, one of three extra planes which brought Christmas mail from England as far as Bangkok, replaced the Daedalus on the flight to Hongkong yesterday, but it is not yet known whether she will be retained on the Far Eastern stage until the loss of the Daedalus is made good.

The Daedalus carried one passenger, Mr. Ichiro Shibayama, of the Bangkok branch of the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha Ltd. She carried only 177 kilos of mail, but the Della will bring a heavier consignment of mail to-day.

ARRIVAL OF CLIPPER

Students Arrive to Join In Junk Venture

Two passengers on the Pan American Clipper when she arrived on Saturday were John Potter and Robert Chase, American students, who have come to join the crew of Mr. Richard Halliburton, who expects to leave here early in the New Year in a junk for San Francisco.

Other passengers were Mr. C. T. Wang, former Chinese Ambassador to the United States; Mr. W. Pawley, of the International Ltd., his secretary, Miss Edna Cadman, Dr. George Sellet, American attorney in Shanghai, E. D. Buxton, Tso Nan Lee, Dr. Hu Wang, So Sen and Lydia Longmiller.

The Clipper began her return journey at 8.40 a.m. yesterday with 18 passengers. Mr. James Ty Sin, Ty Woo, and Chua Lan-hun and Messrs. Tee Chong-pee, P. T. Ruyes, J. E. Perkins, Ong Chui, Ong Ting-cho, Chua Bee-kam, Chua Jun-hui, A. Parman, and H. Sedler booked for Manila and Messrs. J. Waterman and C. Bertrand for San Francisco. Mr. E. Brewster, of the Pan American staff, returned to his base at Guam Island.

FAR EAST EXTENSION

Lufthansa Planes May Ply To Hongkong

According to information which reached Hongkong during the weekend, the extension of the German air-line, Lufthansa, to the Far East is expected to take place early in the New Year. At present the service runs only as far as Damascus, but it is stated that this will be extended to Hanoi, and later Hongkong, in January, 1939.

It is expected that one of the modified Condor planes will make a test flight of the run shortly, but the service will be started with Junkers machines as there are only five Condors yet completed.

AIR SERVICES

Arrivals and Departures Of Planes

Outward

For London, Australia, British Countries and Europe: Imperial Airways 7 a.m. Dec. 6.

Hankow, Chungking, Sian, etc.: Eurasia and C.N.A.C. services temporarily suspended.

Inward

From London, Australia and British Countries: Imperial Airways 6 p.m. Dec. 7.

From France, via Hanoi: Air France noon Dec. 8.

REFUGEE RELIEF

Substantial Gifts To British Fund

The following further subscriptions have been received for the British Fund for Relief of Distress in China, Hongkong and South China Branch.

Previously acknowledged \$41,876.02.

Capt. S. M. Kharegat \$25; Dr. F. J. Fair \$50; J. D. McClachlan \$25; Anonymous \$41.32; E. F. Koch \$25; Major J. M. Smith \$50; W. M. Ma \$100; B. C. Lawrence \$25; L. Dunbar & Co. \$250; Capt. P. J. Howarth \$30.

The Chinese Electrical Commercial Association \$1,000.

The Chinese Manufacturers' Association \$1,000.

A. Whitaker \$10; F. Schreiber \$20; H. C. Macnamara \$100; "A. Sympathiser" \$500; E. C. Trellis \$100; Officers Crew and passengers m.v. S. Ivertank \$24.70; E. E. Story \$10; Mrs. S. M. Stewart \$25; Wong Tak-kwong \$100; Capt. J. M. Smith \$30; Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Young \$50; P. N. \$25; M. W. Lo \$100; Wong Kam-fong \$100; E. H. Williams \$50; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taggart \$500.

Mok Yu-yun \$1,000.

Double Wing Family \$100; Mrs. J. Dunlop \$100; Kwong Yik and Co. \$100; R. R. Todd \$100; E. W. Hamilton \$100; E. S. \$10; F. D. A. \$25; J. S. Webster \$20; Tai Tin-toi \$20; Hsu Ip-ping \$50; H. R. Butters \$25; Miss Katie Archie \$25; Wong Yung \$50; W. M. Barton \$15; Miss E. B. and E. Southwick \$25; C. H. Spratt \$50; J. Y. Luo \$50; R. Brandel \$25; D. J. Gilmore \$50; Linton & Co. \$50; D. Ritchie \$25; Lo Yik-long \$100; Cheung Yik-nam \$100.

Hing Shun Loong \$1,000.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Morton \$50; Su Tai \$50; Dave, Bob & Co. Ltd. \$200; W. A. Stewart \$50; N. Matheson \$20; Cheung Yick-cho \$50; Tung Yick Chai \$3.46; D. W. Hume \$20; K. Y. Woods \$50; K. N. Yel \$25.

Wah On Exporters' Association \$1,000.

Chinese Jewellers' and Ornamenters' Assn. of H.K. \$54.50; Building Contractors' Association of Hongkong \$500; Himly Ltd. \$500.

A. S. Potter \$20; Chong Cheong \$300; K. and F. \$15; H. S. Tsu \$200; Carmichael and Clarke \$200; Sir V. N. Grayburn \$500; R. S. Harrison \$25.

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation \$10,000.

Coldbeck, Macgregor & Co. Ltd. \$100; E. D. Sassoon Banking Co. Ltd. \$500; Dr. and Mrs. Scott Harrison \$200; Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Whyte \$25; G. Miles \$50; Lady Northcote \$300; Chua Senk-choo \$100; Miss S. F. Sutton \$50; J. Watling \$25; Miss M. D. Boyd \$15; J. C. F. Bellamy \$250; K. S. Morrison \$50; Rees, Bradley & Co. Ltd. \$250; Thorsen & Co. Ltd. \$100; E. W. Davis \$25; Mr. and Mrs. G. Harcourt \$25; A. H. Compton \$50; H. Hallgren \$100; Swedish Trading Co. Ltd. \$200.

Kwangtung Provincial Governor's Office \$10,000.

Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co. Ltd. \$2,500.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Cassidy \$100; D. E. Duncan \$20; F. H. Stokes \$20; Capt. and Mrs. Clement Moody \$50; C. G. P. P. \$50; J. F. Greese & Co. \$25; Wong Ping-ling \$200; Li Yau-tsun \$300; The Children of Christ Church Sunday School Kowloon Tong \$10; American Express Co. Inc. \$250; Dr. J. Durran \$100; Union Trading Co. Ltd. \$250; Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Churn \$100; Lam Shu-chuen \$100; Chan Ngan-ling \$100; European Staff of Nanking, MacKenzie & Co. \$105; R. E. Moody \$25; Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Sung \$25; Macdonald's Ltd. \$100; The Staff and Employees of The American Express Co. Inc. Hongkong \$250.

The Cable and Wireless Ltd. \$1,000.

Cheung King-chiu \$10; Chan Leung-sing \$40; C. I. Angus \$20; Mrs. D. Simpson \$20; R. Duncan \$20; Wang Kaitley \$25; G. R. Cairns \$10; Wang Kwong-long \$5; W. J. Buller \$20; W. Ward \$10; Ng Wah \$100; Arnold Pollard \$25; Chan Shu-ming \$100; Hsueh Yunn School M.C.L. and War Charities Sale \$600; "A Sincere Friend of China" \$200; Anonymous \$50; Ltd. Comdr. K. W. Kerby, R.N. \$50; D. Kosicki \$10; K. W. Engel \$10; The Eng. Room Staff of the Cable and Wireless Ltd. \$13.10; Chui Chuk \$50; M. Sime \$10; Staff of Messrs. Chung Wah Kwong Fat Yuen, Sun Wah \$47.10; The Kowloon Hotel \$100; Tam Tak-lung \$3; H. J. Pearce \$25; D. W. Phillips \$10; C. Sung \$10; K. S. Lee \$2; Rev. C. T. B. Evans \$25; G. R. Riddell-Carr \$20; Menam

River Towage and Lighter Co. Ltd. \$100; Nursing Staff of Matilda Hospital \$25; Humphreys Estate and Finance Co. Ltd. \$250; Peik Tramway Co. Ltd. \$100; J. G. Jones \$100; D. A. Jones \$10; The Asia Co. \$100; Ernest Kern \$50; S. Wingfield \$10; H. Maess \$50; Miss D. M. Shillston \$50; M. Tolan \$10; American Lloyd Ltd. \$100; John D. Humphreys and Son \$100; S. L. Yoo \$100; F. S. Bion \$100; Y. N. Lau \$100; T. H. Wang \$100; C. H. Woo \$100; J. S. Wang \$100; K. K. Feng \$100; S. Y. Liu \$100; H. F. Sze \$100; A. Chui \$100; S. C. Koo \$100; Thomas Woo \$50; P. S. Hsia \$50; Y. K. Wang \$50; S. Y. Lo \$50; M. Y. Sung \$50; T. S. Poo \$50; S. L. Pan \$50; S. F. Lam \$50; C. T. Dao \$50; S. N. Ma \$50; Y. C. Tan \$50; C. H. Chang \$50; C. T. Hsiong \$50; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Macgregor \$100; Women's International Club \$500; Messrs. Deacons \$200; Wallace Harpur & Co. Ltd. \$200; Anonymous \$25; Fung Wing-fong, Esq. \$200; Mrs. Fung Ching Tin-yin \$200; Fung Wei-ching \$100; Mrs. S. N. L. Chan \$25; Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Potter \$100; W. H. Handyside \$50; Mrs. L. K. Smyth \$10; Wong Cindr. & Mrs. Steele Perkins \$30.

The H.K. and Yuenai Ferry Co. Ltd. \$1,000.

E. P. H. Lang \$50; O. W. Luke \$50; Mr. and Mrs. H. Abbott \$15; Mrs. Loo Wai-kwan \$50; Chan Loo-chuan \$50; Yeung Tse-lun \$10; The H.K. Sharebrokers' Association \$500; Mr. and Mrs. S. Pinn \$10; Master Fung Kiu-want \$25; Master Fung Kiu-yip \$25; Master Fung Kiu-yik \$25; P. M. N. Silva \$20; Leung Tak-wa \$20; Miss Leung Sa-chuen \$100.

Chan Shu-lam \$1,000.

St. Paul's College (Class G) \$25.33; Capt. John Twibill \$5; Mrs. M. W. Newsholme \$50; Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. H. B. Samways \$150.24; Anonymous \$25.

H.K. Land and Investment and Agency Co. Ltd. \$2,500.

Dr. J. T. Smalley \$100; Pupils of Gap Road School \$34.50; Anonymous \$21; K. R. Quiek \$25; H. W. Mills \$10; Messrs. Johnson, Stoke and Master \$200; H. S. Rathbone \$100; Staff \$50; Messrs. Sun King Hing Factory \$10; Messrs. Hip Wai Knitting Factory \$5; Messrs. Poon Lee Ngai Hing Knitting Factory \$5; Messrs. Hm Sen Knitting Factory \$5; Messrs. Tak Hing Knitting Factory \$5; Mr. Tang Shu \$5; Mr. D. Cheung \$10; The East Asiatic Co. Ltd. \$100; Mr. Ian N. Murray \$100; Tai Pun-hing \$100; Miss W. H. Hul \$50.

A few Members of the Sports Club \$1,020.

The Staff and Other Employees of the Commercial Press \$2,000.

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SCOTS ON PARADE

Volunteer Company Goes To Church

The Scottish Company of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, at its annual Church Parade at the Union Church, Kennedy Road, yesterday, the first Sunday after St. Andrew's Day.

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Northcote, attended by Capt. H. S. Dally-Smith, attended with the Chief of the St. Andrew's Society, Mr. W. Kay, and Mrs. Kay, and the following members of the Scottish community: Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McLay and Miss McLay, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Shields, Mr. and Mrs. B. Wylie, Dr. and Mrs. G. D. R. Black and Miss Black, Mr. and Mrs. H. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. D. Gilmore, Mr. J. D. R. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Whyte-Smith and others.

The Scottish Company paraded under Major H. R. Forsyth, Officer Commanding, and Pipe Major W. Macle, headed the Pipes. Lieut. Col. H. B. Rose, Commandant of the Corps, attended with officers of the Royal Scots as guests, and Lieut. Col. H. B. L. Dowling, former Commandant.

A special service was conducted by the Rev. K. MacKenzie Dow, music being supplied by the band of the Royal Scots by kind permission of the O.C. and Officers.

The preacher took as his text, "Thy grace ye are saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, lest any man should boast."

After the service, the Chieftain gave a reception at the headquarters of the Volunteer Corps.

Major Forsyth, in proposing the health of the Chieftain and his wife, announced that a congratulatory telegram had been received from Col. H. C. B. Anderson, late Commandant.

Mr. Kay replied, complimenting the Scottish Company on their turnout-out and the Pipes on their playing. He proposed the health of the Scottish Company.

WUHAN SINGERS

Large Audience Listens To Last Concert

A packed audience listened to the Wuhan Singers when they gave their last concert in Hongkong at the King's Theatre yesterday morning. Several of the party have already left for the South to continue their singing tour, and the rest will be leaving next week.

Among the features of the programme were quartettes which had not before been presented in Hongkong. A guest soloist, Mrs. S. Y. Lam, participated.

The Chinese Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra of Hongkong rendered several selections and accompanied the singers.

The programme concluded with a play entitled "They came back to the audience was enthusiastically appreciative.

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FLOATING AVIARY AND ZOO

Nankin Carries Some Lively Cargo

To transform their ship into a floating aviary and zoo seems to be the design of the crew of the E. & A. steamer Nankin. When that ship arrived from Australia on Saturday she carried a chirping company of 300 mixed native Australian birds, including one lot of 30 parrots of many varieties. Of eight kangaroos shipped in Australia seven survived.

The presence of these birds on the Nankin reveals a thriving, harmless traffic carried on by the crews of boats travelling between Australia, China and Japan. The Nankin, a going south carried Japanese canaries and small Chinese birds in such incredible numbers as 5,000 and 10,000 on one journey. Japanese birds are no longer carried, but Chinese birds are still taken south in great numbers.

On the ship's last trip south the crew of the Nankin took from China a medley of birds that included trawberry birds, black head nuns, white head nuns, yellow nuns, nonpareil pheasants, and Pekin robins.

These birds they buy, according to the season, at \$10 to \$30 a hundred, selling them in Australia at a price which ranges from \$75 to \$100 each at their first port of call, and at their last port of call (\$1.35) each.

Considering that it is no use carrying cod to Newcastle, they will at last almost give them away rather than bring them back to China.

Ten thousand birds can produce quite a chatter, and it is related of the Nankin that the choral chirping interfered with the rest of the crew who had been on night duty on one trip to remove their cages to a place beyond hearing. No objection, however, is raised to the crew's trifle in birds and animals, on the principle that if they were not free to allow to bring them on board they would endeavour to smuggle on board less permissible forms of merchandise. There is a welcome to the Australian mail for the Chinese strawberry, but not for the Chinese opium.

Emus Leap Overboard

The Nankin sailors' most ambitious endeavour was to bring two emus to Hongkong, but this failed. The emu is a husky fellow, accustomed, like the ostrich, to supplement his diet with such solid titbits as nails, coils, or pieces of chain, and one of the emus carried by the Nankin suffered the constraint of a cage only as far as Rabaul. There he battered his way to freedom and took two or three great strides that carried him to the side of the ship—and to his death. His Chinese owner, deciding that one of a pair could be no good without the other, opened the other cage and allowed the second emu blindly to follow the first.

The birds and kangaroos brought by the Nankin on this journey went to Koon Fong, who offers "all birds of the world" in a store in Des Voeux Road. In time the American tourist, paying \$50 a pair for animals last summer in thousands through the Australian bush, will buy the kangaroos; both tourists and Chinese will buy the colourful Australian birds.

For the animal lover this traffic also has its pitiful side. A cage is still a small world to a bird, but it seems sad that such a docile animal as the Australian kangaroo with its forefeet so like baby fingers, should be stolen from the sunshine and space of the great Australian bush to be cramped, crouching, in a dark cage until he catches the eye of a pet-seeker. At that,

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6.45 Orchestra—Breakfast in Harlem—Faye, Crosby, Holloway and Roy (Transatlantic Rhythm); I Hear A Song In A Taxi—Faye, Crosby, Holloway and Roy (Transatlantic Rhythm); Harry Roy and His Orchestra with vocal refrain; Vocal—Would You? (from "San Francisco"); Bing Crosby with Victor Young and his Orchestra; Guitar—Pickin' My Way (Lam-Kress); Eddie Lang (Guitar) with Guitar accompaniment by Carl Kress; Vocal—You're Not The Kind (Hudson, Mills); No Regrets (Tobias, Ingraham); Frances Faye (with drums, guitar and bass accompaniment); Dance Orchestra—Juke-Box Rumba (from "Transatlantic Rhythm"); A Gift from Heaven—Waltz; Harry Roy and His Orchestra with vocal refrain; Humorous Monologue—Jonah and The Grampus (Edgar); Stanley Holloway with Piano; Vocal—Pennies from Heaven; So Do I (from "Pennies from Heaven"); Bing Crosby with George Stoll and His Orchestra; Dance Orch.—The Highland Swing—Quickstep (from "Honey On The Moon"); There's A Little Irish Collection On Broadway—Fox-Trot; Harry Roy and His Orchestra with vocal refrain.

7.15 Johann Strauss—"Le Beau Danube"—Ballet Music.

Played by the London Philharmonic Orchestra cond. by Antal Dorati.

7.45 Studio—Talk on a Recent Visit to Canton.

8.0 Time, Weather and Announcements.

8.03 Studio—Elvie Yuen (Soprano) with The Very Rev. Father A. Rignanti at the Piano.

1. (a) Vieni, il mio seno (from "Cecilia o in buona figura"); (b) Cani occhiali vezza (from "L'Innamorato"); (c) Guglielmi; Elvie Yuen accomp.

9.30 London Relay—The News.

9.50 Songs by Jan Klepura (Tenor). Sweet Melody Of Night (film "Give us this Night"); I Mean To Say I Love You (film "Give us this Night"); You, Me And Love (film "My Heart Is Calling"); with Orchestra accompaniment.

10.0 London Relay—Topical Gazette.

A fortnightly review of things at Home. Presented by Pascoe Thornton.

10.30 New Dance Music.

Quickstep—There's Honey On The Moon To-night; Slow Fox-Trot—This Is My Night To Dream (film "Doctor Rhythm"); Victor Silvester and His Ballroom Orchestra; Fox-Trot—They Gave Him A Gun To Play With; Novelty Fox-Trot—When The Circus Came To Town; Joy Wilbur and His Band with vocal chorus by Sam Costa; Tangos—Lorraine; Refrain.

Orchestra Tipica Francisco Canaro; Fox-Trots—Plastered In Paris; Minuet For A Modern Miss.

The Six Swingers directed by George Scott Wood with vocal chorus; Fox-Trot—Fleur Bleue; One Step—Je Chante; Charles Trane (Vocal) with Wal-Berg and His Orchestra.

11.0 Close down.

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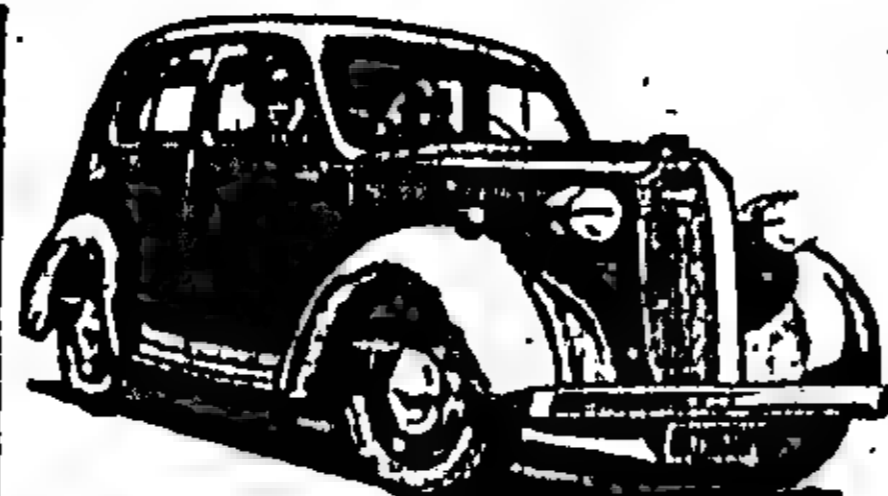


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An Argument Clinched

THE MISHAP to the air-liner

Daedalus is the culmination

of a series of accidents to the

DH-86 types of planes employed

on the Bangkok-Hongkong route,

involving three of the four

machines. Fortunately, the

accidents have not been atten-

dant with loss of life—the record

for the Far East route, in fact,

is one of the cleanest of any air

route in the world.

The DH-86 machine seems a particularly unlucky type. It was twice banned in Australia following crashes with attendant loss of life.

Most of the mishaps—all, in fact, on the Bangkok-Hongkong service—have demonstrated the danger of take-off and landing in flying.

When the aeroplane is at flying height there is no danger and flying is much safer than travel on the ground. It is the first and last few seconds of an air journey that hold the greatest measure of risk.

If take-off and landing can be made safer in some way, then the number of mishaps will be greatly reduced.

In the case of the DH-86 planes, fire appears to be a hazard. The Dorado almost suffered the same fate as the Daedalus recently, when she caught fire at Kai Tak Airport.

The destruction of the Daedalus surely clinches the argument that Hongkong deserves more than obsolete planes on its vital Empire air route, especially when, in normal times, the British planes encounter the latest type French, German and American machines at Kai Tak. Comparison is obvious and odious.

This Applies To Us

TWO little countries that own big colonial domains have been speaking up. They are Belgium and Portugal.

Says M. Spaak, Prime Minister of Belgium, "We are firmly

resolved to keep the whole of our Congo."

Say the Portuguese, "We discovered our colonies and we mean to hold them."

Belgium has 80,000 soldiers in peace time. Portugal has 35,000.

Most people will take the view that colonies will be maintained, not by bold, strong declarations from politicians, but by bold, strong and well-armed soldiers. And that applies to Britain.

Only those who get behind the scenes know that this outward cheerfulness is the creation of Adolf Hitler's fanatic, little propaganda minister, Paul Joseph Goebbels.

In the most concentrated propaganda campaign the world has ever known, Minister Goebbels has, in the five years of Nazi rule, whipped sixty-five million people into a nation with one mind, one will and one objective—expansion.

To-day the Goebbels thunder is louder than ever before, for Germany is serving notice that all territories she lost in the World War must eventually be given back to her, first of all, the million square miles which once comprised her African empire.

To fan the Nazi hatred of Russia, a Goebbels museum is filled with exhibits to show the horrors of communism. Though six years ago, six million Germans voted a communist ticket, every known radical, every known liberal, to-day is either in hiding, in prison, or dead.

STILL GOING on, as pitilessly, as brutally, as it did five years ago, is Goebbels' persecution of the Jews.

Sign posts at city limits bear the legends, "Jews Not Wanted"—"Jews Keep Out." Even in parks, if Jews are allowed at all, special yellow benches are set apart, labelled "For Jews."

And on the Christian churches, Goebbels' propaganda machine is to-day bearing down savagely, for these—almost alone—are still offering resistance to the new order, and the Nazi State tolerates no rival authority over its people.

Millions of Germans, who, all their lives have cherished their religion, are learning a new commandment, "To the good Nazi, not even God stands above Hitler."

In regimenting German thought, all radio programmes emanate from the Department of Propaganda, every newspaper prints only what the State wants its people to read, and any letter in the German mails is subject to censorship. For, in Nazi Germany, every instrument that forms thought, communicates ideas, must be used to glorify the Nazi super-state, and its demi-god, Adolf Hitler.

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THIS IS WHAT THE CENSORS banned In Hongkong

TIME MARCHES ON

Censorship in Hongkong of the dialogue of the "Inside Nazi Germany" sequence of a "March of Time" film formed the subject of a question in the House of Commons last week. To-day, the "Telegraph" publishes, without comment, the much-discussed dialogue, as taken from the script of the film.

IN THE FIVE YEARS since the plan to make Germany self-

sustaining. In repeated slogans the farmer is told that he is the bulwark of the new nation. His farm becomes a unit in the Reich's subsistence plan. He grows what he is told—or loses his farm, and he must meet his fixed production quota.

But although under this pressure, Germany has in five years come to produce 80% of all the food it needs, it is evident to-day that if the State is ever to become 100% self-sustaining in foodstuffs, it must expand.

And, louder than ever from propaganda headquarters comes the cry that Germany must have more land to grow grain.

As often as good Nazis read in their government-controlled papers that for the Fatherland they must eat less beef and eggs, they hear in a propaganda department broadcast how much worse off other nations are.

COMMENTATOR (over radio in Germany): 65,000 persons are starving and freezing in Cleveland. La Guardia, New York's Jewish mayor controls the city's vice and racketeers. Hundreds killed in riots of Communist strikers in Detroit.

VOICE OF TIME: Special Nazi award for obedience is the privilege of joining low-cost excursions subsidised by the State. Through them, every year, over a million Nazis, young and old, spend their holidays travelling through the Fatherland, come back filled with pride in German history, steeped in Nazi culture, and properly thankful to their Fuehrer.

From the time the German child is old enough to understand anything, he ceases to be an individual, and is taught that he was born to die for the Fatherland.

Scarcely out of kindergarten the child must take the pines allotted to him in the great Nazi scheme, and from then on think and act as he is told.

When at fourteen, the Nazi boy enters the Hitler Jugend, he receives his first uniform and his first rank in the German war machine. From enthusiastic young gliders, the air force will pick pilots for the bombers and pursuit ships of aerial warfare.

Along with her brother, the Nazi girl is taken over by the state, first enters the Jung Maedels. Here she must build strength. Later she must serve in the Girls' Compulsory Labour Service, do farmwork and housework without pay. Then follows government schooling—how to conserve precious food and fuel, which a nation preparing for war dare not waste. Most important, how to care for the babies the army expects her to bear.

GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty



"Oh, bring him along, too—we'll need a fifth for bride anyhow, to mix the drinks and empty the ash trays."

At eighteen, every young man must serve six months in the Arbeitsdienst where hard work and exercise will build the body to Nazi standard.

A labourer, without pay, he works on the Reich's new conservation projects, flood control and soil erosion, and on the new military highways which the government which is extending out toward every frontier.

Because Hitler believes that too much education is dangerous, the young Nazi gets his only schooling after working hours, a daily lecture of Germany's need for expansion, the triumph he is to share when German armies march into the rich wheatfields of the Russian Ukraine.

FOR HITLER'S two million brown-shirted Storm Troopers, the government provides food in abundance. These young volunteers are the Nazi militia, and proud is the youth who is selected for the black-shirted "Schutstaffel"—Hitler's own guard. Thus brought up in a group, trained in a group, the young German grows up to take his place in the most exclusive group of all—the Army of the Reich, in which every able-bodied man must serve actively for one full year—in the reserves for the rest of his life.

Most famed piece of Nazi propaganda is the annual military display at Nuremberg—specially staged to show the world the force of German arms.

In Berlin, the Nazi propaganda bureau is preparing the publicity which, next summer, it is hoped, will draw thousands of tourists to see the picturesque German of yesterday, to leave much-needed American dollars in the Nazi Germany of to-day.

IN NEW YORK CITY, loudest mouthpiece in this Nazi propaganda drive, is the National Chairman of the Hitler-inspired German American Bund.

He is Fritz Kuhn, former German machine gunner, now a naturalised American citizen, who claims to have "sold" 200,000 U.S. Germans under the Swastika. At his meeting, Fuehrer Kuhn preaches orthodox Fascist doctrines.

(KUHN SPEAKS IN GERMAN)

VOICE OF TIME: Across the United States, Fuehrer Kuhn has established 25 summer camps and drilling grounds where those German-Americans who believe in Nazi teachings can imitate Hitler's mighty military machine.

At New York meetings, designed to promote friendship and to U.S. boycotts on German goods, uniformed Nazis parade. Their mere appearance doubles the picket line.

When Fuehrer Kuhn, with plans drawn for a new England Nazi encampment, purchases a site in Connecticut, he meets unexpected opposition in a community long proud of its tolerance.

MAN: We have no quarrel with German people. But we do object and we do protest against the insidious, treacherous activities of Nazi agents masquerading as American citizens.

WOMAN: Mr. Chairman, two of my great-grandfathers and four of my great grandfathers fought for liberty—so did the other people in this town. I call upon all you people here to drive the Nazis out.

VOICE OF TIME: But the most discouraging blow to the Nazi campaign for U.S. sympathy, comes from the retiring American Ambassador to Germany, William E. Dodd.

DODD: Living in Europe these days is profoundly discouraging. Nazism and Fascism are gaining ground everywhere. This is a world crisis—the greatest crisis for democracy since the first Napoleon.

VOICE OF TIME: Joined together by mutual self-interest, the two strong men of Fascism view the results of their long struggle for dominance in Europe with unconcealed satisfaction.

Behind these leaders lies an unbroken succession of Fascist triumphs, military and political, the re-arming of the Rhineland, the conquest of Ethiopia, the Saar Basin, the revolt in Spain—and the new Rome-Berlin-Tokyo Alliance.

Around them are other nations already inoculated with the Fascist fever.

But of the Fascist nations in Europe to-day, Germany emerges as the supreme example. Democracy is destroyed. The dictator is a demigod, who can do no wrong. Propaganda demonstrates the nation's mind. Nazi Germany faces her destiny with one of the great war machines in history. And the inevitable destiny of the great war machines of the past has been to destroy the peace of the world, its people and the governments of this time.

TIME MARCHES ON!

TWO MEN IN DANCE GIRL'S LIFE

Story Of Scenes And Threats: 'Driving Me Mad'

A Story of a new infatuation and a farewell interview with one of her two men friends was told at the quest at Westminster recently on the dance hostess, Mrs. Violet Doris Wood (31), who was found dead from s-poisoning at her flat in Brake House, Dolphin Square, W.

It was stated that she was the widow of Mr. Hubert Wood, a shipping agent.

James Chapman, of Chiltern Court, Baker Street, said that had known Mrs. Wood for the past four months.

"BEST TO PART"

She told me recently," he said, "at she thought it best that we should part."

He said that he was very attached to Mrs. Wood, but there was no talk of getting married. He was unmarried.

The Coroner (Mr. Ingleby Oddie): "Why did she suddenly tell you she did not see you again?—She said she was difficult. She did not give any explanation. I could not understand it at all."

She had cried a little while he was at the flat.

Later that night she came to see him and his father, and told him she intended to go to Paris and had come to say goodbye.

Coroner: Was there any quarrel? None at all.

THREATS ALLEGATION

Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, of Elingham Road, Plumstead, a daily maid who had been employed by Mrs. Wood, said that six weeks before her death Mrs. Wood went "all to pieces."

Coroner: In what way?—She had told Mr. Wood there and she got fatigued with another young man and between them she did not let Mr. Wood there any more. He put on threatening her with letters, which upset her. I have heard of such scenes in the flat.

Mrs. Wood found a message from Mr. Wood and she said, "I cannot go on with the two of them. They will drive me mad," and jumped out of her bedroom.

Mrs. Smith said that the men had been demanding money from Mrs. Wood for about six weeks, and she had received message after message from them.

Coroner: The young men, you say?—Yes, Mr. Chapman and Mr. Wood.

When she last saw Mrs. Wood at her flat she was like someone mad—crying, talking and smoking. "I said, 'You are not going to do anything, are you?' and she replied, 'No, I will do what I like.'"

ANOTHER MAN

Police Constable Nicholls, coroner's officer, gave an account of an interview with a man whom he named "Edward Carmona," who lived in Stratton Street, Piccadilly. The man was between 45 and 50, and the officer said he stated that he was the man referred to by Mrs. Smith.

"Carmona" would not disclose whether he was married, but said that he had known Mrs. Wood for some time and had taken her out to amusements. She was "highly intelligent and excitable."

"He says," continued the police officer, "that when he got there on Tuesday he found her in bed dressed. He arranged for her to go to Paris, where she had friends. He did not say what she was disturbed about and he ('Carmona') thought she was simply run down."

NOTE LEFT

Albert Arthur Paver, a porter at the flat, said that towels were wedged round the window. Gas was pouring from five taps and the woman was lying on the floor dressed in grey trousers and a yellow blouse.

A letter was found on the table. The coroner said that Mrs. Wood had left a note to her father in which she said quite clearly that she was taking her life although the note did not give any real explanation.

Major Gordon H. T. Macintosh, of Collingwood Gardens, Earl's Court, said that his daughter left his home some two years ago because he did not approve of her friends.

"She made acquaintances and I considered," he said brokenly as he tried to overcome his emotion.

Coroner: You did not approve?

No. Major Macintosh added that he was on good terms with his daughter and saw her from time to time. She had no financial trouble, and so far as he knew there had been no threats of suicide.

LIVING ALONE

The coroner said he was satisfied it was a case of suicide and equally satisfied that Mrs. Wood was not wholly responsible at the time. She yielded to some sudden impulse when worried and troubled.

"She had been living alone," he added, "and had various men friends—some apparently very fond of her and causing her a good deal of distress, so that it is not surprising that from being a self-respecting, healthy young woman she became extremely excitable and took to drink."

"She was on perfectly good terms with her father and merely left him to live by himself because he did not approve of one of her men friends—quite properly."

EMPIRE NEWS

CAPE TOWN

Capetown.

A resolution urging that the civilian population of Cape Town should be registered and organised for air raid precautions, and that the coastal defences of the Cape Peninsula should be modernised, was passed at a meeting of the Empire Group.

The resolution followed an address by Col. B. C. Judd, in which he said that while Cape Town—as Mr. Plow, the Defence Minister, had pointed out—need never fear a large-scale gas or air attack, a single raiding warship equipped with aeroplanes could do enormous damage to the city.

As a result of this meeting a movement has started in Cape Town for the institution of what is termed "a modified A.R.P. scheme."

Johannesburg Town Plan.—The Johannesburg City Council has approved in principle of a £200,000 scheme for the development and improvement of the western areas of the city. The scheme envisages the conversion of Claremont into an Indian township, with sports grounds and other facilities. Of the expenditure, land purchase will account for £377,000 and housing for £500,000.

AUSTRALIA

STATES AND DEFENCE PLANS

Sydney.

Although Mr. Thorby, the Defence Minister, stated in a broadcast that the recent Loan Council meeting was a success, the Press and the State Premiers generally agree that its results were disappointing.

Mr. A. A. Dunstan, Premier of Victoria, declares that the Commonwealth failed to give a lead by not placing before the conference concrete defence proposals.

Mr. Forgan Smith, Premier of Queensland, states that the conference emphasised the lack of national leadership. Any idea of national planning was half-baked and immature.

Mr. Thorby said the States agreed to co-operate with the Commonwealth, and approved the allocation of £2,000,000 for defence. Everyting possible was being done to establish new industries and make Australian defence as complete as possible.

Dutch Farmer Settlers.—Negotiations now in progress at Canberra between representatives of the Commonwealth Government and the Netherlands Government may result in an arrangement whereby migrants from Holland will be brought to Australia. It is expected that most of the men will be skilled farmers.

NEW ZEALAND

TASMAN AIR MAIL IN FEBRUARY

Auckland.

Mr. F. Jones, Postmaster-General, announces that the Tasman air mail service will start in February. The first flying-boat was tested in England in November.

The service across the Tasman Sea will be a continuation of the Australian air mail, which has been flying from England since July. It will involve the regular crossing of 1,200 miles of open sea.

SOUTH AFRICA

ANTARCTIC PLANS OF SIR H. WILKINS

Cape Town.

Sir Hubert Wilkins, the explorer, arrived here recently to take part in Mr. Lincoln Ellsworth's forthcoming expedition to the Antarctic.

Sir Hubert will be in charge of the base ship, Wynter, while Mr. Lincoln Ellsworth, with another pilot, will undertake a 2,000-mile flight from Enderby Land to the Bay of Whales.

Clothing Factories' Flight.—Nine out of 10 clothing factories in Cape Town are working short time, owing, it is said, to competition from Japan, Central Europe and the United States.

Rogue Hippo Shot.—A rogue hippopotamus which has been raiding crops on the banks of the Fongola River for some months, has been shot. It was cut up by the natives who prize highly the fat of a hippopotamus.



Prince Bernhard, husband of Princess Juliana, Crown Princess of The Netherlands, likes to do daring deeds. This time he went out in a lifeboat, in exceedingly rough water at Terschelling, and enjoyed it, so he said. He is in centre of the picture, striding ashore while the crew of the "Nicolas Marius" stand by. His attitude indicates he wasn't troubled by sea-sickness.

He Was Offered £60 To Marry Woman Of 66

Mr. Patrick McGowan, of Cedarne-road, Fulham, S.W., a married man with four children, recently told of agents in Britain working to arrange marriages between German refugee women and British subjects.

He himself has been approached to take part in a marriage of convenience and offered £60 to become a "bridegroom."

The disclosures follow the conviction of Albert William Fordham, 54-years-old tunneller, who at the Old Bailey recently was sentenced to four months' imprisonment for bigamously marrying Mrs. Emma Meyer, a German Jewess.

Nothing further to do with the woman.

Now penniless and without a country, Mrs. Meyer is considering applying to the Government for permission to remain in Britain.

A woman friend said "Mrs. Meyer, who has been a widow for many years, is now living on the hospitality of friends. She was compelled to leave her lovely flat in Germany and she dare not return."

Fordham, a married man with eight children, was introduced to Mrs. Meyer on October 12, and two days later went through a form of marriage with her at Chelsea register office. After the ceremony they separated immediately.

GERMAN PROPERTY

Mr. Maxwell Turner, prosecuting counsel, remarked during the course of the case, "German subjects are unable to get British protection and British nationality in this way. A woman is thus able to remove property which she had in Germany."

Mrs. Meyer was born in Germany, and in 1894 married a German subject who died in 1918.

She landed at Dover on September 20 last, and came to London to visit her brother to discuss her future owing to her treatment in Germany.

When Fordham was arrested he told a policeman, "I ain't done nothing wrong. I got 35 quid and a new suit for marrying her."

Mrs. Meyer, who is said to be a wealthy German Jewess, left the court with two other women.

"EASY 160"

Afterwards, Mr. McGowan, who was a witness in the case, but was not called, said, "On September last I was working as a lorry driver for a firm of caterers. When I was out of work, a fellow driver sympathised with me and remarked, 'I can put you in the way of getting £60.'"

"I asked him how, and he explained, 'If you will go through a form of marriage.' It seemed so easy that I agreed."

"A week later I was taken to some offices in Holborn—for the life but I cannot explain just exactly where they were, but I have got to show some Scotland Yard officers to-morrow."

"There I was introduced to a man who was obviously a German. I understood him to be a solicitor. He asked me if I was still prepared to go through with this, and I said I was."

"When I arrived home that night I discussed the matter with my wife. Fordham overheard the conversation and said he would go through with it. That is how he came to be standing in the dock."

THREE MARRIAGES IN YEAR

"I know that the agent who introduced me to this 'married' three times this year. A friend of mine, a single man, has received letters asking about his willingness to enter into these 'marriages.'"

"This 'solicitor' in Holborn had looked me over, and then shaken his head, saying that I was too young. I am over 50, and I gathered from that the woman I had to 'marry' was much older—Mrs. Meyer is 66."

Evidently she insisted upon the man she 'married' having a new black coat and striped trousers. When Fordham turned up for the dress rehearsal, the 'solicitor' told him to get a new shirt and collar and to clean his finger nails."

Mr. McGowan added that at the office each man had to sign a document 'agreeing that he would have

HALF-TON OF FISH AT CHURCH

Half a ton of fish piled beneath a few nets made the porch of St. Mary-at-Hill, Billingsgate's Parish Church, resemble a fish shop recently.

The occasion was the fish harvest festival, and big merchants sent their crates, fish porters their bunches of herrings or nets of fish.

Altogether 37 varieties of fish were shown on the "slab" set up by church workers.

170LB. HALIBUT

A giant halibut, which weighed 170lb. when it came out of the water, was the prize exhibit, and around it were everything from lobsters and John Dory to smelts, dried haddock and red mullet.

Mr. Bill Cupt, "father" of the market and organiser of the collection, told of the origin of the festival just after the war.

"There's never been a year when the show failed," he declared. "None of the merchants ever makes any bother about sending along a crate of fish or a few lobsters—and you see the result."

"That half ton of fish will be sent along to Guy's Hospital—the hospital all our porters go to—and it will last the whole hospital for a week."

"Twenty or so of us merchants with our families went along to the service this morning; a lot more this evening. Fish merchants don't live very close to Billingsgate nowadays, but we still try to keep in touch with the market's old parish church."

Mills Buy Marriage Licence

Atchison, Kas.

Clinton Madison, 20, and Miss Gertrude Jackson, 18, paid for their marriage licence with 1,750-sales tax tokens, each worth 2 mills. The licence cost \$3.50. The couple, told Judge Frank P. Wertz they had been saving the tokens for a year.

Doctors Prove Pneumonia Cure

The cure for pneumonia, which kills 28,000 men and women yearly in Britain, has been found.

Harry, Toffee Apple Prince, Show 'Em How

The costermonger stopped selling chrysanthemums and bananas in the Lambeth-walk, put his diamond ring on his little finger and took the Missus to a ball recently.

It was the annual dance of the Lambeth-walk Traders' Association in Lambeth Baths, S.E., and if you think that just because a man sells from a handcart he is no trader, you would have got your answer from Billy the Peanut King.

"Granted we don't doll up in a dicky an' a pair o' swallows to sell a 'porch of peanuts, lady, but we're 'ighly respected in the neighbourhood and paying members of this 'ere association."

Billy could not bring his wife. She has had an accident. "Her shoulder is disconnected, lady." But the others came in pairs and they were in their working clothes.

They had, of course, to do the Lambeth Walk, but the difference is that these people did not need the music. They just walk it, and a walk looks like the Walk when they do it.

They gave it the fervour of a Waltz in Vienna, a Charleston in New York, a Tango in Spain, and no one ever danced the Lambeth Walk half as well as Harry, the Toffee Apple Prince, after his fourth brown ale and a baby's head (meat pudding).

And they picked their beauty queen—a sweet, young girl of sixteen, dark haired, with pink cheeks. They cheered her like mad—and that no doubt was wise, because she is Irene Dipper, Sergeant Dipper's daughter.

"Now then, move on."

Proof of the success of the "wonder drug," sulphanilamide, in the most dreaded of all lung infections, has been obtained in Wolverhampton and Walsall during an epidemic of the rare lobar pneumonia.

Eight cases were specially treated with sulphanilamide alone. All made rapid, complete recovery.

Three of the cases at least would ordinarily have been regarded as hopeless.

Lobar pneumonia, most deadly of the four principal forms, killed 6,242 men and 3,094 women in 1936, the last year for which complete figures exist.

Dr. S. C. Dyke, director of the pathological department of the Royal Hospital, Wolverhampton, and his young Scots house surgeon, Dr. G. C. K. Reid, give in a recent issue of the Lancet their records of the eight cases.

RAPID RECOVERY

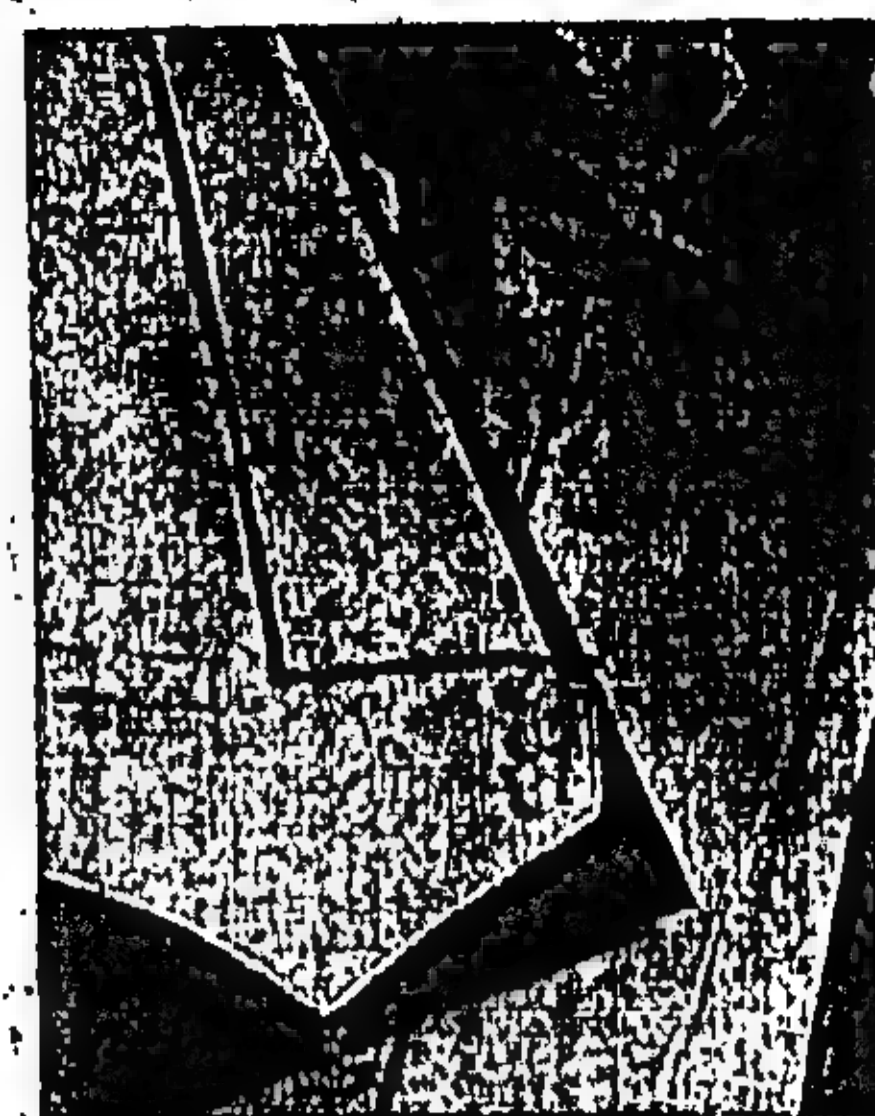
They say:—"In every case exhibition of the drug was followed by immediate fall of temperature and pulse rate, and by general improvement."

"In all cases in which the drug was administered in full and efficient dosage the subsequent course was uneventful and recovery rapid."

Four doctors have reported cases of sulphanilamide treatment of pneumonia since, less than a year ago, it was tried in England. The Walsall and Wolverhampton results confirm recent experiments with more than 100 cases in Dudley-road Hospital, Birmingham, and St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London.

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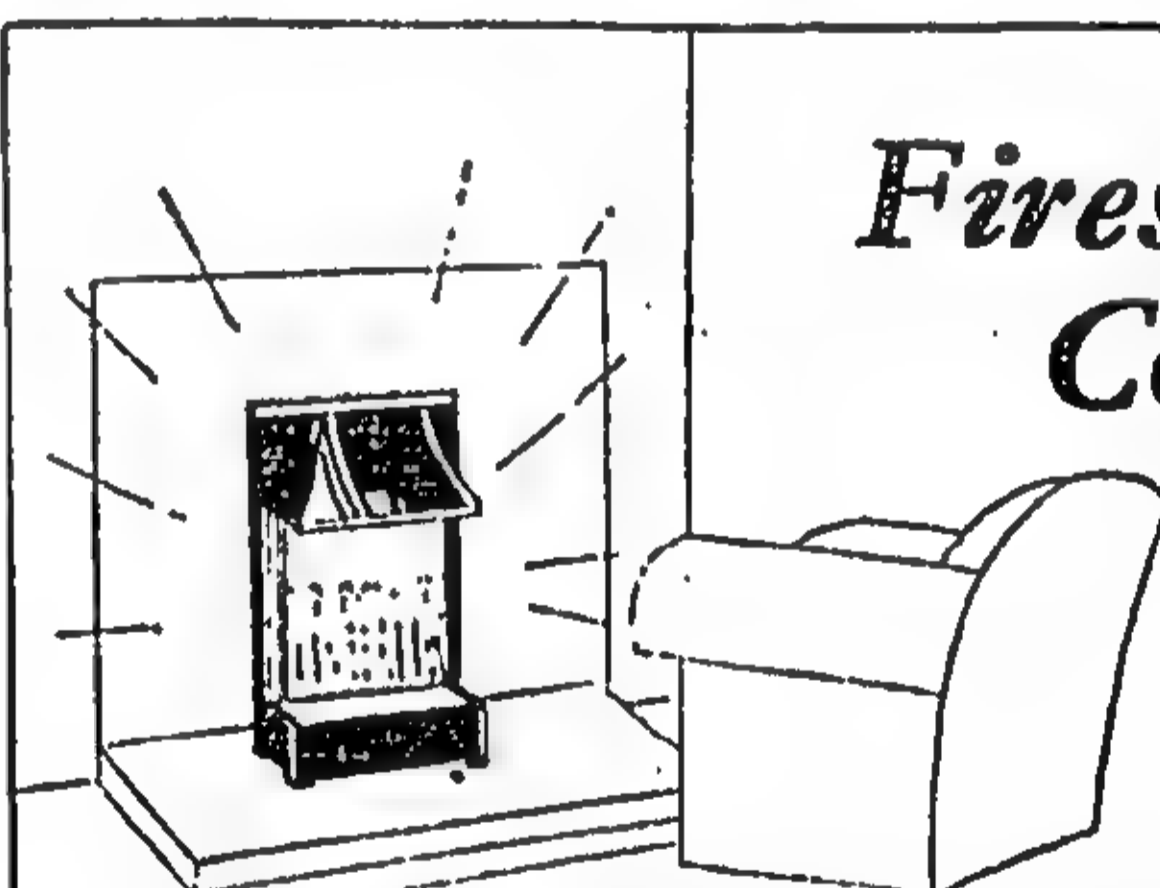
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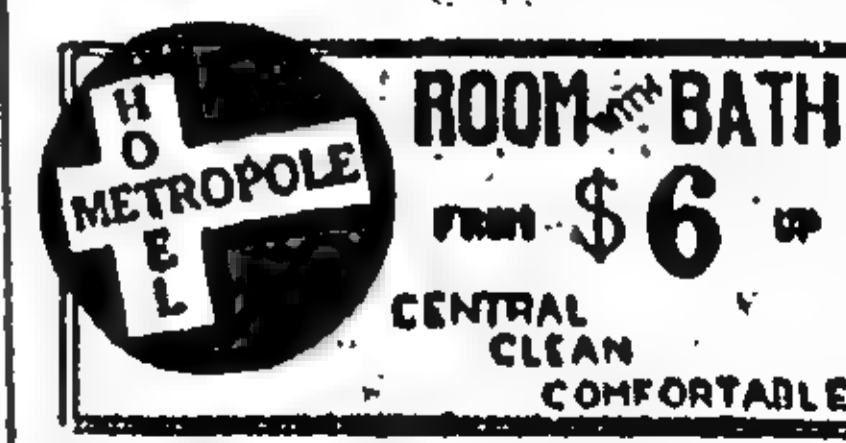
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ROYAL SCOTS PLAY SIXTH DRAWN GAME OF SEASON

SHARE POINTS WITH THE NAVY IN SOCCER TIE

SAILORS FAIL TO KEEP THEIR TWO-GOAL LEAD

(By "Abc")

Giving all the appearances of a better team and scoring two goals in the first half, the Royal Navy were foiled by the Royal Scots in a First Division League football match at Sookunpoo yesterday and were held to a draw of two goals all.

Play was very scrappy in the initial period, neither side being able to show any scientific football; but in the second half when the Royal Scots began to fight back, the game became much more interesting, and even exciting in the last few moments when the issue was still hanging in the balance.

Though fine keeping on the part of Duncan thwarted their efforts on several occasions, the Navy forwards had only themselves to blame for not winning full points. In the last few minutes, they swarmed all over the Scots' goal, but did everything except put the ball in the net.

The Royal Scots' forwards had few opportunities to shine, but when they were in possession they failed to make full use of the ball. Holmes, on the left-wing, was starved, and Munro was far from his best on the other end.

REJUVENATED TEAM

Once again the Scots fought back from what appeared a very unpromising position to earn a draw, and if they were a trifle lucky in that their defence held out despite the fierce Navy attacks, they deserved to win a point because of the way in which they commenced play in the second half.

SIXTH DRAW

This was the Royal Scots' sixth draw in ten matches played in the League this season. Their record is now as follows:

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The sailors did not play good football to take their 2-0 lead but because the Scots failed to settle down in the first half. Furthermore a penalty given against the soldiers in the first five minutes did not help them, especially as Hunt converted the kick.

Nevertheless, the Navy were definitely the better team in this period and it was not against the run of play when Armstrong put them further ahead with a somewhat lucky goal just before half-time. The ball, lobbed into the goal-mouth by the out-side right, was out of Duncan's reach and hit the woodwork, rebounding into the net off the goal-keeper's body.

During this half, the Navy intermediates were doing good work and had no difficulty in keeping the Scots' forwards in check. Dixon, the centre-half, in particular was prominent with some splendid interceptions, while the backs, Findlay and Fisher, were very steady. As a result, McAllister, in the Navy goal, had comparatively little to do.

A rejuvenated Scots' team took the field in the second half, and after a period of attacking, Munro crashed in a shot which McAllister appeared to stop, but Hossack was in close attendance and the ball rolled over the line. Continuing to attack, the Scots' had more of the game now. Their efforts were further rewarded when a free-kick from the centre was lobbed into the goal-mouth, and after a melee, during which McAllister was drawn out of his charge, Kane scored the equaliser.

With the issue still in doubt, both teams threw everything into the struggle. At one stage, the Scots were playing very strongly and seemed to have a great chance of turning the tables on the sailors, but after a sustained period of attack, they fizzled out.

Now it was the sailors' turn to take the offensive. For fully ten minutes they kept the ball almost continually in the Scots' half, but all attempts at goal failed. Duncan was the hero of the defence, relieving several dangerous moments with daring interceptions. Once he saved a hot drive from Betts from close-in. But for Duncan's inspired display at this time, the sailors almost certainly would have walked off the field with full points.

As it was, the whistle blew with the sailors still trying vainly to score the winning goal.

Teams:
Royal Navy.—McAllister; Findlay, Fisher; Honeywell, Dixon, Roper, Armstrong, Thoburn, Morrill, Hunt and Betts.

Royal Scots.—Duncan; Fraser, McDonald; Brown, Proctor, Clarke; Munro, Kane, Hossack, Allen and Holmes.



Hidden again by Benny Froulx, Lancashire Chips, winner of the Queensland Handicap two meetings back, gained another success on Saturday, winning the Cramond Brig. stand-off in record time. Top right picture shows the winner being led in by Mrs. Tugart. Top left shows Mrs. Pearce leading in King's Privilege with Nerda in the saddle after winning the Blackford Hill Handicap, and below the finish of the race, King's Privilege reaching the post a length and a half in front of Murray River. Tampa Bay and Lucky with half a length between them in the first section of the Portobello Handicap are seen in the right bottom picture. Tampa Bay being disqualified, the official placing was Lucky, Scene View and King's Lead.—Pictorial News.

Royal Air Force Surprised By Radio Team In H.K.H.A. Tourney

Winners Scored Three Times In Second Half

(By "The Pilgrim")

The Royal Air Force had a rude shock in the Hong-kong Hockey Association Tournament yesterday when they were defeated by the Radio and Postal Sports Club by 4-1 at Kai-Tak.

There was really very little between the two teams during the first half, both defences being in brilliant form, and the score of 1-1 at the interval was a fair indication of the run of play.

On resumption, however, play was monopolised by the Radio men, chiefly as the result of positional changes between Awtar Singh and G. Singh in the forward line. The half-backs also rendered necessary assistance to the attack, Carter in particular being prominent at right half.

After continual pressure by the R.A.F. were kept on the defensive of the game, G. Singh scored twice and M. H. Hassan made the issue safe by adding another goal from a short corner hit.

Except for spasmodic raids, the R.A.F. were kept on the defensive during the second period. Froude, on the left wing, was responsible for the only goal scored by the aviators. Dawson, at centre-half, played a constructive game but received poor support.

Kowloon Indians Lose To Central British Assn.

On their home ground at King's Park yesterday morning the C.B.A. forwards' through pass tactics proved successful against the K.I.T.C. and the team won a Hong-kong H.A. Tournament game by 5-4 in a fast and evenly-fought match.

The attack, with G. A. Fowler, S. A. Fowler and D. Smith, had complete understanding and made full use of their opportunities.

K.I.T.C. were kept on the defensive throughout the first half and some good team-work resulted in N. Whitley, S. A. and G. A. Fowler finding the net in quick succession for the C.B.A.

The Indians missed J. M. Pinto at centre-half and the understanding of the defence was poor. Karnal Singh was pulled up several times for infringing the sticks rule.

With a three-goal lead against them, the K.I.T.C., however, came into their own on resumption and during some short-passing movements in the attack, Parthab and Pyara Singh reduced the deficit to 3-2.

DEFENCE FIRM

The C.B.A. defence was firm, the halves, N. and T. Whitley and E. Fowler, displaying fine understanding and fine tackling. V. Bond was also at right back with his keen hitting.

At the other end, the K.I.T.C.

London Wants Next Olympics

London, Dec. 4. The Amateur Athletic Association, meeting in London has decided to give the fullest support to the application made by the City of London

CHAMPIONS HELD TO A DRAW

(By "The Pilgrim")

Defences were dominant in the Cier Clark Cup match on Saturday between the "Y" Ladies and St. Andrew's at King's Park, and the result of 1-1 was a fair one.

As usual the champions were the first to take up the attack, though they did not provide play of a very high quality. Mrs. Burnett, on the right wing, was always dangerous and so was Miss M. Westcott, on the opposite wing. Miss Barker, at inside right, opened the score after 15 minutes from a nice combined movement on the right wing.

The "Y" defence was now playing better than ever and though Miss A.



Miss A. Greiner

she scored the Saints' equaliser. Fowler was erratic with her clearance, Miss M. McCaw and Mrs. Williams, the halves, did splendid work.

From the interval, the Saints started a series of attacks and after Mrs. Read had saved some good shots, Miss A. Greiner eventually equalised with an easy drive. The ball had crossed well over the goal-line before Mrs. Read kicked it.

Play continued with the Saints playing for all they were worth, but without being able to do anything when in front of goal. Miss P. Gittins and Miss F. Wong had the "Y" defence rattled on many occasions, with Miss H. Reid and Miss Pettigrew giving brilliant exhibitions in the half-back line.

The Saints deserved their point and they were pressing desperately when the final whistle blew.

to stage the 1944 Olympic Games. The application will be considered at a meeting of the International Olympic Committee in June next.—Reuter.

INJURIES WEAKEN ARMY'S FIFTEEN AGAINST CLUB

Triangular Rugby Tourney Game Deteriorates After A Promising Beginning

(By "Fly-Half")

In a game which promised well at the start only to deteriorate after the injury to Lt. Drew-Wilkinson, the Club defeated the Army by 28 points (two goals and six tries) to three points (a try) in the first game of the Triangular Rugby Tournament series played at Sookunpoo on Saturday.

A succession of injuries to Army players considerably weakened the Club's opposition. During a major part of the game, Army played with only 13 men and it says much for them that the score was kept within reasonable bounds.

Club disappointed with a very lackadaisical display in which far too many individualistic efforts were spoiling movements. The forwards played as individuals and not a pack. Handling by the Club three left much to be desired.

For Army to lose Drew-Wilkinson at a stage of the game when they showed every sign of winning was sheer bad luck. Then later when L/Cpl. Garrie had to be taken off suffering from concussion, the Army's attacking force was considerably reduced.

FORWARDS SHINE

The Army forwards played tirelessly throughout and held the Club pack in the light even although they were packing only six men. Crawford, Berry and Cuthbertson were Army forwards to shine in the open.

But once more played well for Army at stand-off half and later at scrum-half. The three were never given time to rest, however, due to the re-arrangements made necessary by the injuries. Gudgdon and Chiverrall played courageously, the former being particularly dangerous when in possession.

Deane was conspicuous for Club through constant backing up. Hardly a try was scored without his being in attendance. In every department the forward play was scrappy, particularly in the line-outs, where seldom was the ball caught cleanly.

At scrum-half, Henderson gave another splendid display. Cessford was too often caught in possession, but otherwise played a sound game at stand-off half. Bidwell and Grieve were brilliant, especially Grieve whose swerving was very effective. Both wing-men played faultless games. MacGrath had very little to do at full back.

THE SCORING

Club scored first through Bidwell but very soon lost the lead when Drew-Wilkinson broke through to score from a scrum near the Club line. Both tries were unconverted. At this stage, Army were on top, making through repeatedly and only bad passing prevented them from going further ahead. Then Drew-Wilkinson was injured and had to leave the field, having wrenched his shoulder. Boe went

from stand-off to scrum half and Gudgdon moved up to stand-off. Crawford was withdrawn from the pack to fill the left wing position.

Further tries were scored for the Club by Stewart (2), Grieve (2), Bidwell (2) and Chadwick. Watson converted twice.

Teams:
Club.—W. M. MacGrath; G. K. Chadwick, H. D. Bidwell (Capt.), W. E. Grieve, D. H. Stewart; F. Cessford and J. R. Henderson; K. A. Watson, K. W. Salter, E. W. Stout, R. G. L. Clapham, C. M. Stark, B. O'M. Deane, A. J. G. Taylor and W. B. Richardson.

Army.—Pte. Boustead (Middlesex); L/Cpl. Garrie (R. S.), Lt. Gudgdon (Middlesex), Spr. Waite (R.F.), Lt. Chiverrall (Middlesex); L/Cpl. Boe (R.S.), L/Cpl. Ruge (R.A.), L/Cpl. Ross (R.S.), Lt. Crawford (R.C.S.), Spr. Appleby (R.E.), Gnr. Evans (R.A.), Pte. Berry (Middlesex), L/Cpl. Sutherland (R.S.) and Lt. Cuthbertson (R.S.).

JUNIOR MATCH
In the junior game H.M.S. Eagle defeated Club "A" by 10 points (two goals) to six points (two tries).

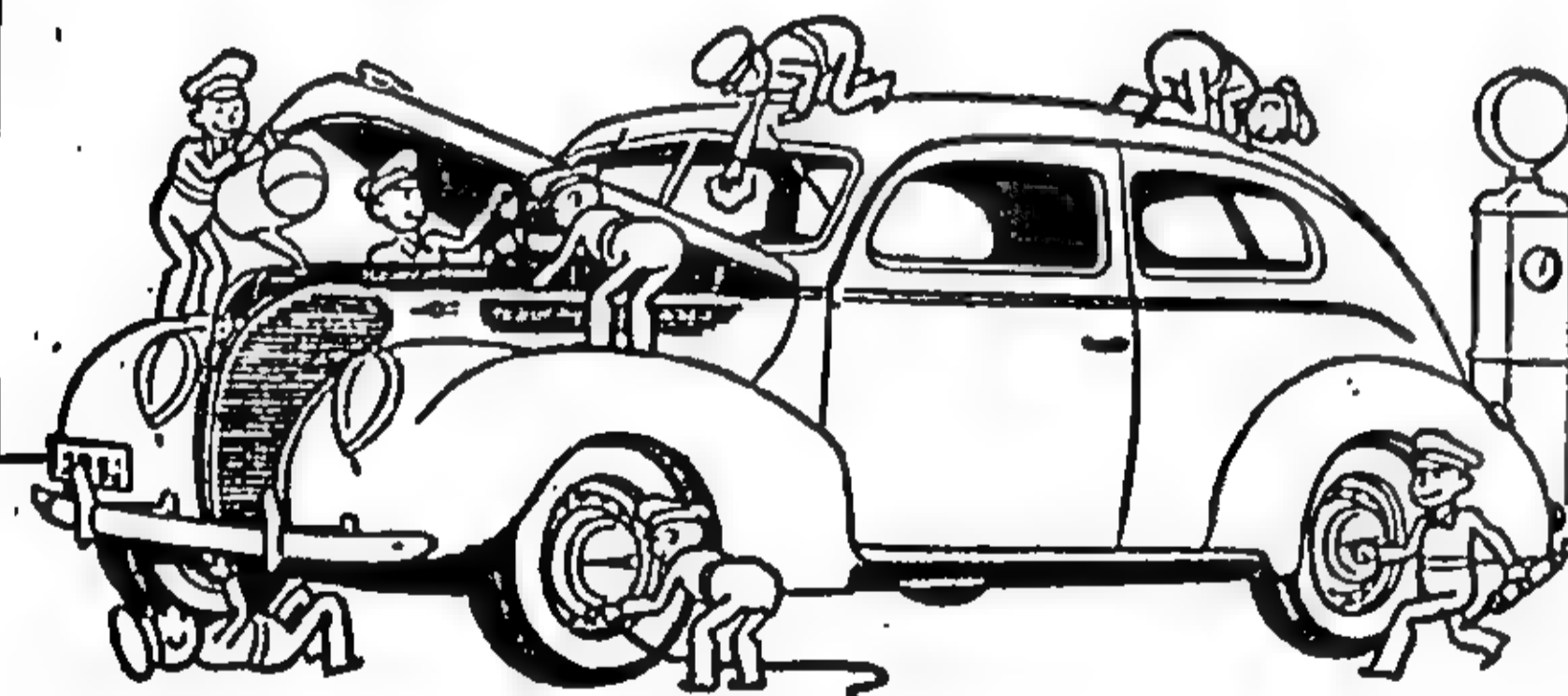
Club "A" played throughout with 14 men and despite holding a six points lead at half-time were unable to hold the Navy men in the second period. An injury to Lee necessitated his coming off the field. Peers, just back from leave, strided at half-time and assisted the Club.

D. L. Bosanquet scored both tries for the Club. Stables and Lumsden scored for the Eagle, both tries being converted by Hunt.

To-night's Badminton Programme

Two matches are down for decision in the "A" Division of the Badminton League this evening, the programme being as follows:
University "B" v. University "A"
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Commendable Keeness Shown by Junior Club De Recreio Cricketers

A resolute innings by G. Gosano, and a somewhat speculative, though enterprising knock by R. Soares, who between them added 67 for the seventh wicket, not only pulled Club de Recreio juniors out of queer street in their friendly cricket match against the K.C.C., at Cox's Road on Saturday, but with J. Gosano, another school boy member of the huge family of cricketers, bowling effectively late in the game, the visitors all but pulled off victory, the K.C.C. having the worst of a draw, with scores of 169 for 7 declared against 107 for 8.

Recreio, a team of considerable talent and formidable virility, played attractive cricket, even taking into consideration the rather inept batting of their opening pair. Gosano's innings was quite a little gem, this young man treating all the bowling alike, and driving with becoming facility. He could be considered unlucky to have missed a half-century, as he was magnificently caught by Baldwin from a terrific straight drive which would easily have reached the boundary, and which have given him his 50. Baldwin took the catch off his own bowling, and once again demonstrated that he is by far the safest catcher in local junior cricket.

PERFECT OFF-DRIVES

Gosano's innings of 47 was studded with seven boundary strokes, three of which came from perfectly-timed off drives, which sent the ball at express speed through the covers, the ball hugging the grass all the way. Except when he ran up against Lay, in the latter's first spell, Gosano appeared as comfortable as if he were batting at the nets, and his innings was chanceless.

Soares did not make his 31 runs in the same confident, workmanlike manner, but his knock was none the less valuable, as Recreio had lost six wickets for 67 at the time he joined Gosano. They were some "edgy" boundaries to his credit, but he also made merry at the expense of anything loose, and demonstrated that he could be a punishing bat.

The rest of the seven batsmen made small contributions, and one or two were fortunate to score what they did. Nevertheless K.C.C. had themselves to blame for some of the runs conceded, ground fielding now and again being very ragged.

When the home side started their task of meeting 169 runs, they shaped with confidence, Lay and Mulenhy quickly sending up 20. But after Lay had hit three successive boundaries, he got his leg in front of a straight one, and Mulenhy quickly followed. Gray helped himself to five shots to the boundary, the first a cracking square cut, and the others on the leg side, and then lost his wicket trying to sneak a quick run. After this Recreio got well on top and wickets fell rapidly. J. Gosano came on and sent back three batsmen for the loss of eight runs, but in the gathering gloom, Lay, who had hit one lovely four through the covers and then made a tremendous hit which only produced three, though a six over the far embankment looked likely, together with Brokenshire managed to play out time.

It remains to be said that although the Recreio attack was keen, only Gosano gave much trouble. Alves was erratic and sent down too many long hops. More than one of the home batsmen threw away their wickets, either through a really bad or an impetuous stroke. The Portuguese fielded neatly, and certainly compared more than favourably with their opponents.

AZUMA DURING THE WEEK-END Moonlight Of Great Help To Competitors

(By On d'Beach)

Azuma won the Illingworth Cup race, which started from The Royal Hongkong Yacht Club on Saturday evening at 6 p.m. The course was: Cheung Chau (port) Lingling Island (port) Waglan (port) and Hongkong (starboard) with finish at the Yacht Club. Distance 45 miles. As a preliminary to the annual Macao Race it was an excellent one, with light and strong breezes and one's patience as well as sailing ability had to be exercised, especially during the calm yesterday morning—and patience is a very necessary commodity in a yachman's makeup.

Azuma must have sailed a very fine race to win with a margin of 1 hour and 40 minutes on her nearest competitor. She is an old friend of mine and I know she can travel, but the veteran Charlie Cooke, who sailed her, certainly made a job of it. Thirteen yachts crossed the line, practically all in a bunch. It was one of the better starts and I do not think thirty seconds separated the first and the last boat. This speaks well for the keenness of the helmsmen starting on a race that may last anything from 12 to 24 hours. I sailed in "Marander", a new and somewhat unknown addition to the fleet. The run down the Harbour was an uneventful one except that there was a good deal of sail shifting from one gybe to another, and the fleet went through Sulphur Channel still very much bunched together. The wind lightened outside Green Island and the fleet began to spread out a bit. We were still carrying spinnakers but at the south point of Cheung Chau these were handed and Genoa's took their place to the benefit of Marander who is not so good at running. The wind freshened a bit and Marander stepped out. We overtook Tyrone and two fourtonners at

Lingling and saw the lights of a couple of other yachts close ahead. Quest with two others had been left behind at Cheung Chau.

BEAUTIFUL SIGHT

The wind had freshened still more and we met some swell as we drew near the S. E. point of Lingling. Fine moonlight and it was really a beautiful sight to see the yachts tearing through the water. On clearing Lingling, the wind increased sufficiently to take in the Genoa and set the ordinary working jib. We now had a dead beat for our next mark, Waglan, the wind being N. E. At times we did some hard sailing and as we got further out the sea increased, although not sufficient for us to take any onboard as Marander is a very dry ship. Occasional spray would come over. We were travelling very fast through the water and it was grand sailing. We had decided to keep as near Lamna Channel as possible, so shortly after passing Lingling we went over to starboard tack and stood right on to Lamna. We met a couple of yachts, but as the moon at this time had retired behind a heavy cloud, we could not identify any of them. The lights of Hongkong were twinkling in the distance as we finally tacked towards Stanley Peninsula. The wind came good and strong out of Stanley and Tylam Bays. The moon had been very good to us and apart from a few momentary disappearances behind clouds, had done its best to lighten our way, but as we drew near Stanley it finally went to sleep. There were many fishing sampans about with their bright lights blinding us, but a junk ahead acted as guide as we were sea serpentine our way through the numerous craft.

Opposite Pui Loi we met a yacht on her return voyage. This was about 3.30 a.m. and as we could not make her number, we hoped she would prove the leading one. Near Beaufort Island and Waglan we found the usual confused sea, but the wind held. We finally rounded Waglan at 5.35 a.m. in company with U and I who had suddenly appeared from southward.

Then we made one of those silly mistakes, one of the many may be put to the debit of "local knowledge". As we have cruised round Hongkong and its numerous islands for many years and know these waters better than our front door, we did not bother to check up our course from Chart or compass, but gaily sailed on, having infinite confidence in our "local knowledge". But when Lam-tong light was starting us in the face from starboard and Cape Collinson was winking at us over the port bow, we could only curse ourselves for a pack of idiots. So we had to sail back round Cape d'Aguilar again and this little detour must have cost us at least an hour. The wind lightened as we once more crossed Tylam Bay, this time from East to West, and we just drifted past Stanley and Repulse Bay. We could see U and I, Yanthey and a fourtonner ahead, all becalmed with their sails "up and down". Outside Aberdeen there was not a breath of air and as the skipper had to be back in town by noon and as it was now already nine o'clock, it was decided to abandon the race and get ashore at Aberdeen. We found Tyrone going into Pienic Bay, obviously also having given up the race. On our way to town we could see U and I becalmed near Alligator Island. The Curlew outside Aberdeen and the Yanthey off Pokfulam; but a light breeze was then getting up and we began to wonder if we had been too quick in abandoning the race. The Curlew was the only four-

Boat	Finished	Corrd.	Pos.
Azuma (C. J. Cooke)	08.57.21	08.49.03	1
Curlew (Capt. Tracy)	12.31.06	10.31.28	2
Yanthey (Capt. Dibley)	11.52.02	11.16.18	3
Norfolk (P. C. M. Sedgwick)	10.36.18	11.47.03	4
U. & I. (C. B. Coles)	12.26.33	12.03.55	5
Punai (L. D. Fringle)	14.12.35	12.31.26	6
Wanderer (D. W. Waglan)	14.44.38	14.24.03	7
Quest, Tyrone, Marander, Tai Wan, Shen, Typhoon, Fern did not finish.			

SPORT ADVTs.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Thirteenth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, 17th December, 1938, (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Exchange Building; the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

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Indians Take Revenge On Army Seconds

When the Army juniors met the Indian R.C. 2nd XI earlier in the season, the former won a low-scoring game, thanks to the splendid bowling of C.Q.M.S. Patterson. The teams met again on Saturday, but this time the Indians were successful by eight wickets.

With five left-handers in the Army team, the Indians were somewhat disorganised in the field but did well to dismiss the soldiers for only 90 runs. The medium-to-fast bowlers did not have a good day, and it was left to two spinners, Y. T. Barma and F. A. Curriem, to take most of the wickets.

Lieut. Weedon, the Army team's best bat, was bowled before he could settle down, and this was in a great measure responsible for the side's comparatively low score.

Had the Army fielding been up to scratch, the Indians would not have won as easily as they did. Several catches were dropped—a couple being "slitters"—and meanwhile, with M. R. Abbas scoring 38 and H. T. Barma 37 retired, the necessary runs were made with the loss of only two wickets.

Patterson bowled well at times without much luck, but he was concentrating far too much on speed at the expense of length and direction.

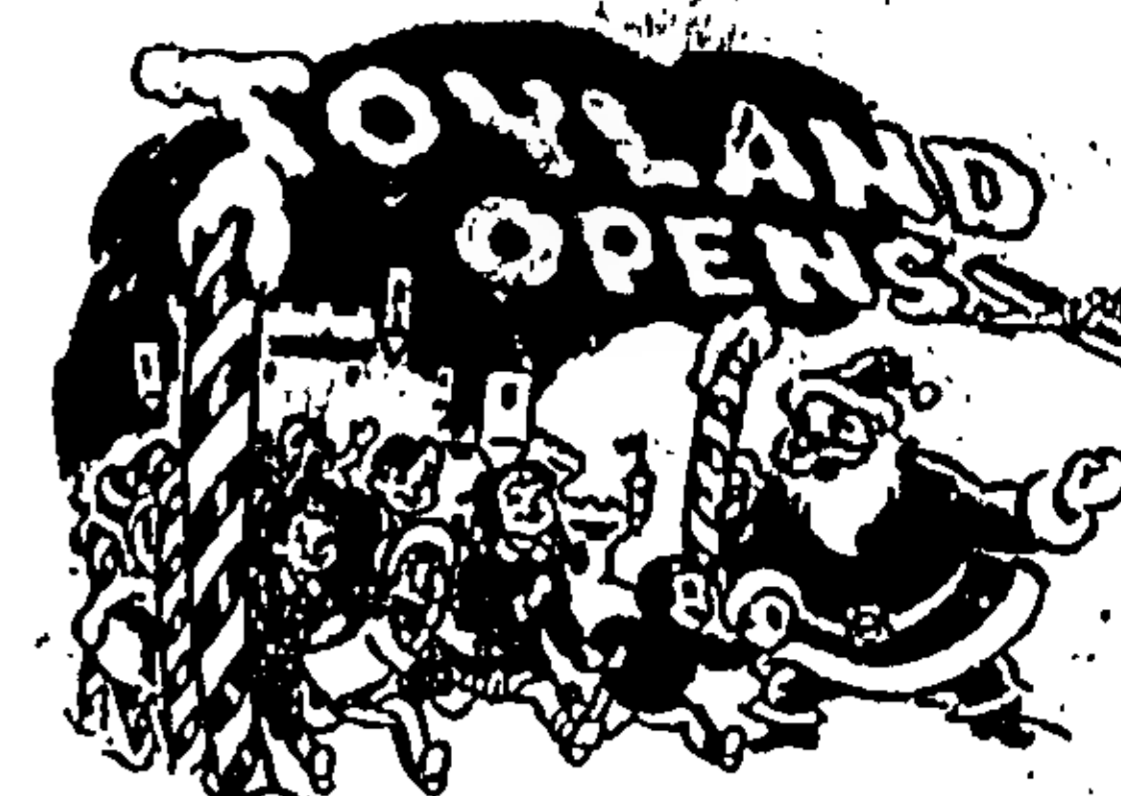
Leading Individual Performances

The following were the best individual performances over the week-end:

BATTING	Runs
Lieut. Manders (R. Navy) v. H.K.C.C.	84
F. J. Tay (D.B.S.) v. C.C.C.	65
R.M.M. King (H.K.C.C. 2nd XI) v. Police	64
G. P. Longfield (H.K.C.C.) v.	

Navy	Runs
F. E. Lawrence (C.S.O.C.) v. R.A.M.C.	63
D. Hung (C.C.C.) v. D.B.S.	58
M. Curriem (C.C.) v. University	53
G. Gosano (Recreio 2nd XI) v. K.C.C.	53
G. A. Goodban (D.B.S.) v. C.C.C.	47
A. H. Kitchell (I.R.C.) v. Army	46
A. H. Madar (I.R.C.) v. Army	41
M. R. Abbas (I.R.C. 2nd XI) v. Army	39
H. T. Barma (I.R.C. 2nd XI) v. Army	38
C.R. Sargent (D.B.S.) v. C.C.C.	37
Sgt. Painter (Army) v. I.R.C.	34
F. M. Haymes (H.K.C.C.) v. Navy	34
E. Zimmerman (C.C.C.) v. D.B.S.	32
E. Soares (Recreio 2nd XI) v. K.C.C.	31
*Not out.	
Retired.	
BOWLING	Wickets
R. Singh (University) v. Queen's College	7 for 10
D. S. Robb (H.K.C.C. 2nd XI) v. Police	6 for 25
R. E. Lee (K.C.C.) v. Recreio	6 for 33
D. Cray (D.B.S.) v. C.C.C.	6 for 47
F. M. Haymes (H.K.C.C.) v. Navy	5 for 14
C. Haymes (O.S.C.C.) v. R.A.M.C.	5 for 29
Lieut. Kyrie (Navy) v. H.K.C.C.	5 for 47
N. Singh (C.C.) v. University	5 for 52
N. D. Lloyd (K.C.C.) v. Recreio	4 for 27
A. M. Kumjaha (I.R.C.) v. Army	3 for 5
A. M. Fries (Recreio) v. K.C.C.	3 for 8
J. Gosano (Recreio 2nd XI) v. K.C.C.	3 for 8
F. A. Curriem (I.R.C. 2nd XI) v. Army	3 for 9
Lieut. Fargus (Army 2nd XI) v. I.R.C.	3 for 28
Y. T. Barma (I.R.C. 2nd XI) v. Army	3 for 31

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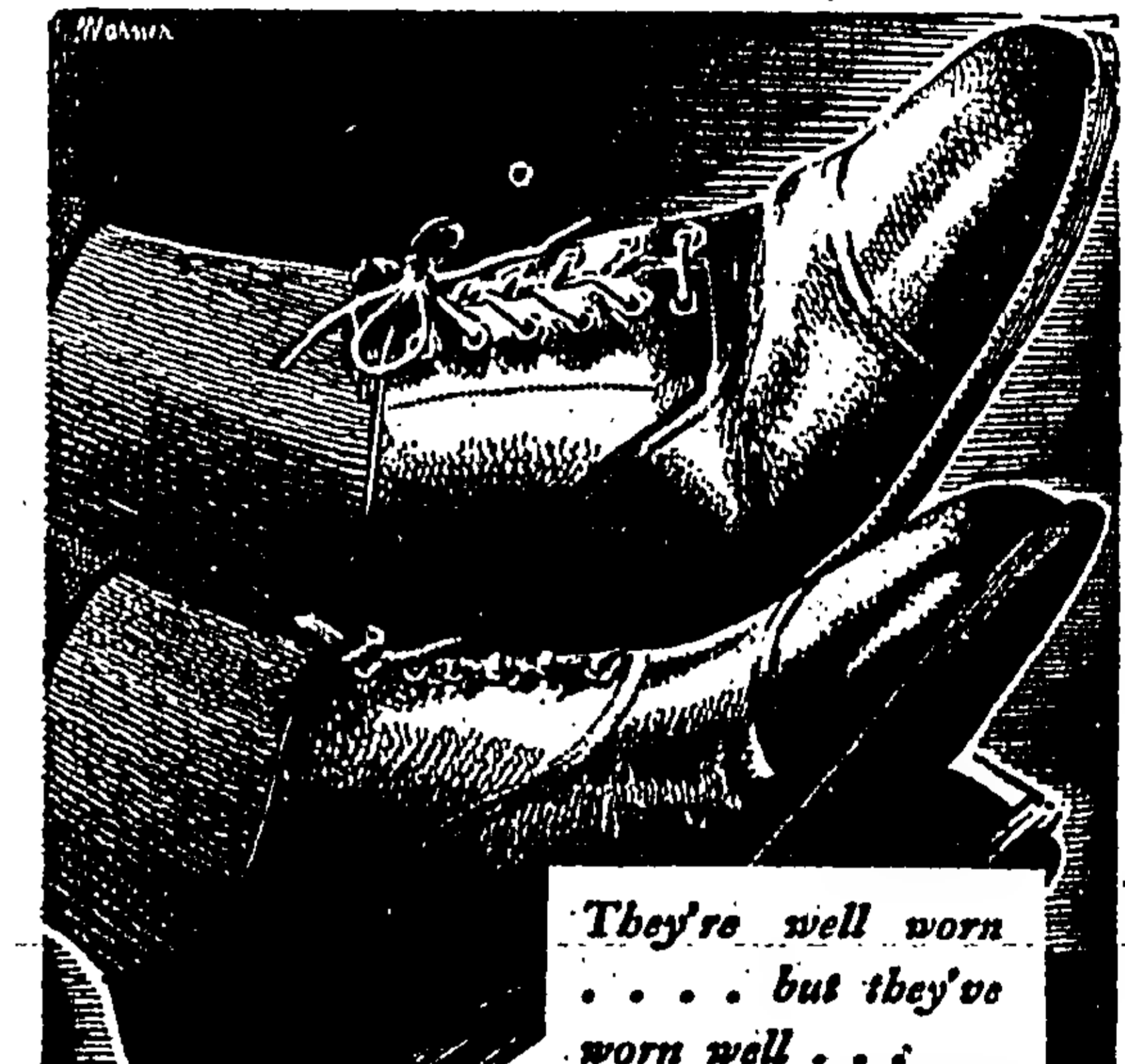
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This is the sort of decor that a man respects. It is neat, not gaudy, accentuates good points without elaborating them too much. This girl's obviously no blue-stockings, but she's worth getting to know, because she hasn't tried to make her charms or her intelligence too obvious.

On the One Hand

YOU may think it's a good line to look super-intelligent, well read and a straightforward "good fellow," but if underneath all that you want to be attractive too it's no good dressing yourself up like the lady top left.

It won't persuade any man that it's worth while getting to know you at all, let alone trying to discover your really excellent qualities.

It's sad, but true, that a man is attracted by a pleasing appearance in the first place, and not by the intelligence which may shine through your eyes.

No girl can afford to go without make-up entirely, dress in unbecoming clothes and let her hair fly loose. Men still like to think their women gentle and beautiful—if they're brainy as well, all to the good, but they don't want to be unduly impressed with the fact.

On the Other Hand

YOU don't want to go to the other extreme. Lady top right is the same as lady top left, believe it or not, and she's made herself look like a good-time girl.

Men don't like that either. It's conspicuous, good fun, of course, but not to be taken seriously.

Striking clothes, daring make-up are all very well in their way. They create a diversion. But a man doesn't want to marry a diversion; he wants someone who can be smart without being loud, kind without being overbearing, gay without being flamboyant.

Outfit top right conveys none of these things; in fact, it gives quite the wrong impression, and the decor wouldn't look at all impressive carried out in net and orange blossom.

Try Moderation In Everything

Clever but not overbearing make-up—any beauty specialist will help, and some give free consultations—improves a girl's appearance a hundred per cent.

A styled coiffure, fairly simple and easy to manage, to enhance the good contours of your face, should, after consultation with your hairdresser, be decided upon and kept to.

When you buy clothes, remember it's as easy, and takes no more time or money to buy those that make the most of your figure and colouring.

Never choose colours just because you like the colours in themselves, but take a good look at yourself in them in the daylight. Above all, be neat and well groomed whatever you wear. Fussy clothes really need a lady's maid to look after them, for there's nothing worse than dowdy finery.

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AT FIRST thought you might wonder how hats could possibly have anything to do with your lipstick or your lipstick with your hat. But since hats play such an important part in making or spoiling an otherwise perfect ensemble, it seems wise to look a bit more closely into the matter.

You know how often the beautiful and becoming hat you have chosen to wear with a certain lovely new afternoon frock or a smart suit, just misses fire when you put it on. Perhaps you have had the experience and have laid the fault to some vague notion that it "just doesn't go with your personality."

The smart young American designer whose "lipstick hat" appears to-day decided to investigate and decided that your hat must match your make-up. With this in mind she designed a whole series of hats

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This makes it simple. All you have to do is to find the proper hat and its corresponding cosmetic and you will be sure of avoiding all clashing colours. Many women do not realise that the small amount of tinting on the face is immediately adjacent to the hat and may clash violently—even when each shade is flattering to the face when used alone.

Colour is rampant in hats this season, as you may have discovered if you have shopped for them. This has its advantages, too; nothing gives such a lift to an all-black costume, and if the colour is right to a costume with a dash of vivid scarlet or purple.

In this group of make-up matched hats is the lipstick hat pictured to-day. This is a vivid shade of orchid-red that exactly matches the warm, vivid lipstick shade that is so wearable by all types and so popular this winter.

Another hat called "Eye-Shadow" is a trick shade of blue-green. It is a tiny hat, scarcely more than an ornament to set off your new hair-

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IT'S A BIG STEP

There is another in a shade, to match orchid eye shadow—one to match a clear red rouge; another with the soft rose-champagne tone of a new face powder, and finally a little hat in green designed to suggest new perfume that is suitable for both town and country wear.

The designer of the attractive hats feels that she has taken the first big step in the right direction—the ultimate goal being a collaboration of make-up, coiffure, hat and costume to create the perfectly turned-out woman. The hat must be thought of in terms of the whole, rather than the individual parts, she says. The day has past when beautiful features alone will lend charm. Now the hat and face must form an integral design for beauty and fashion.

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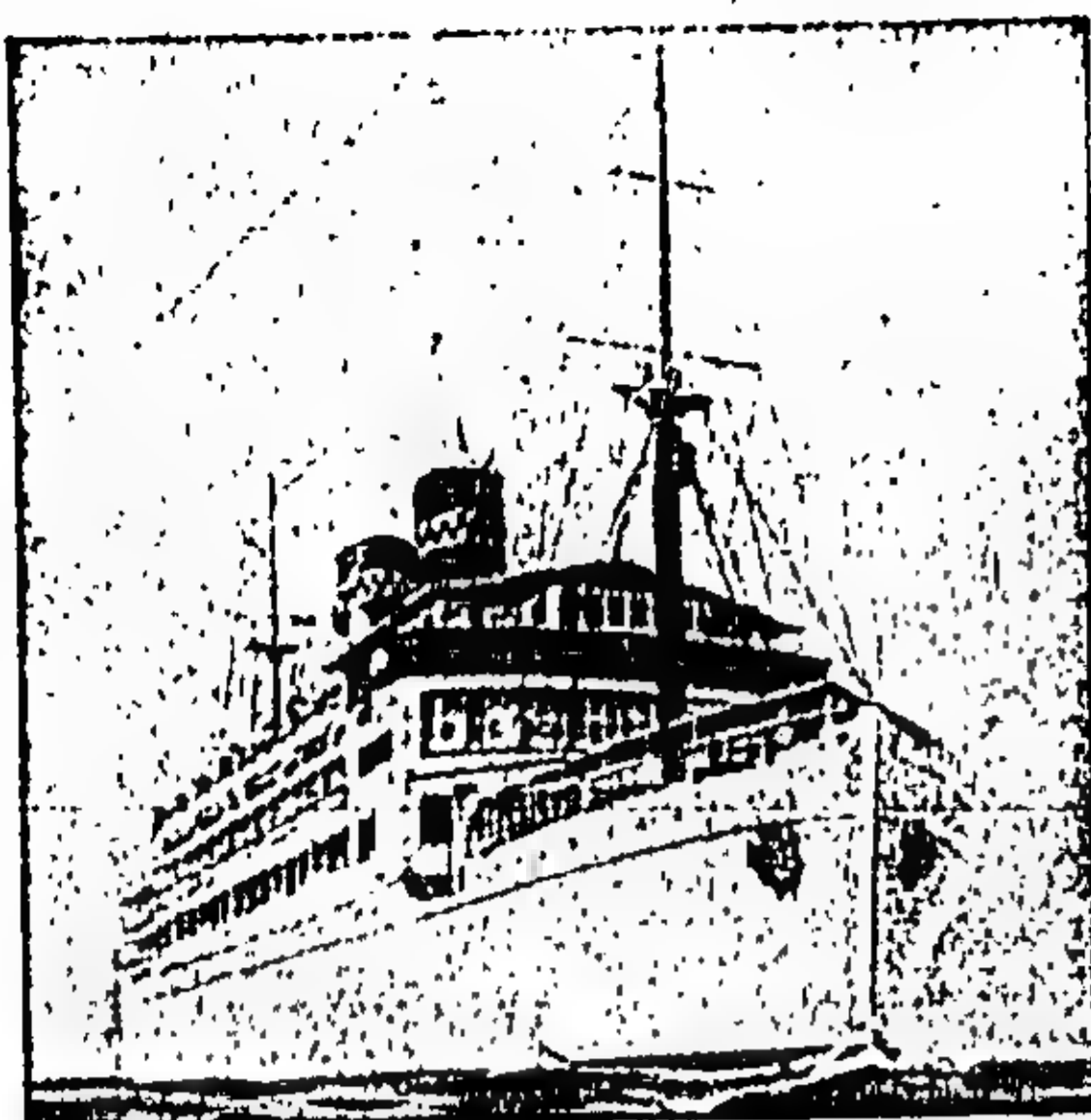


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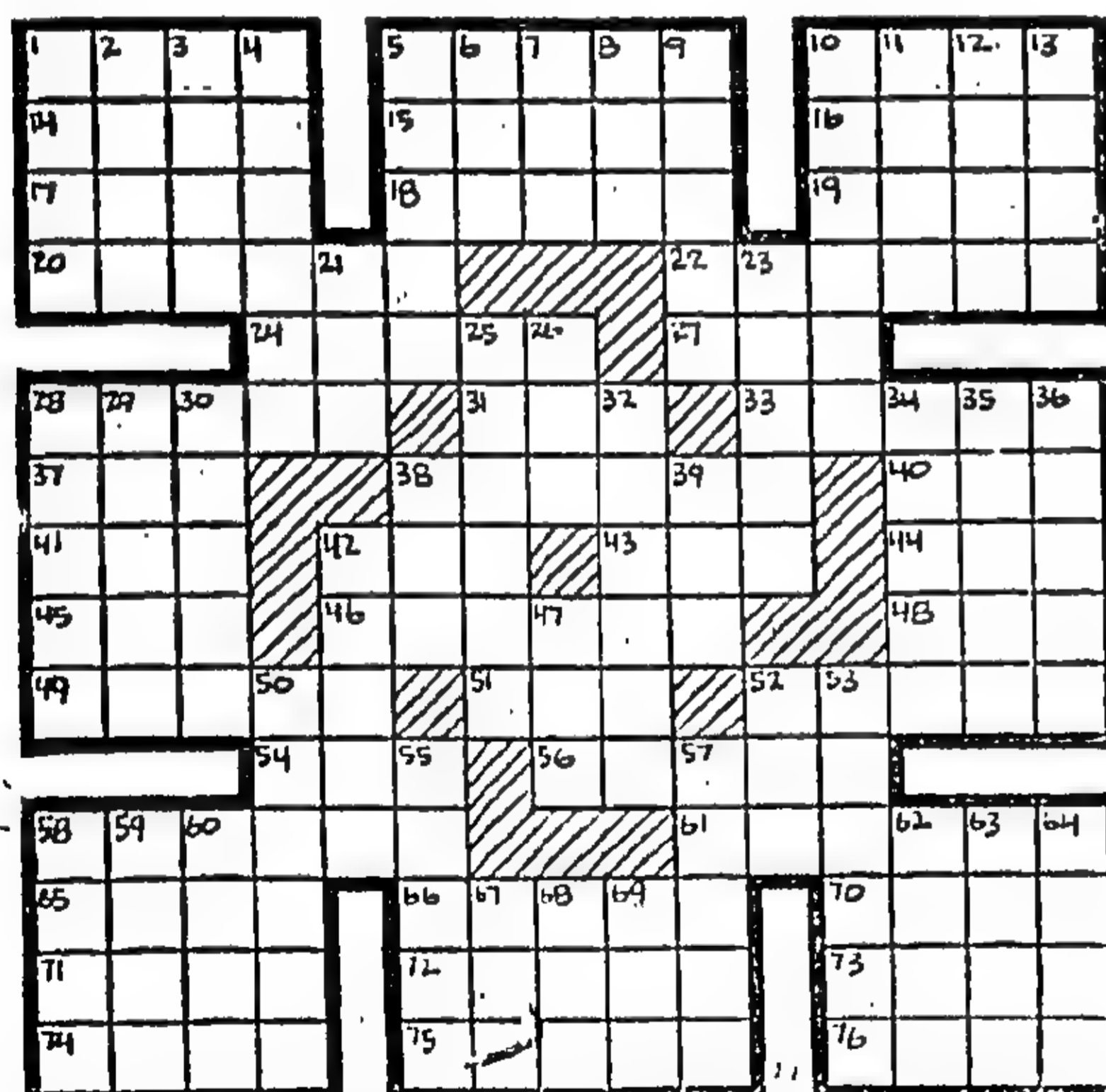
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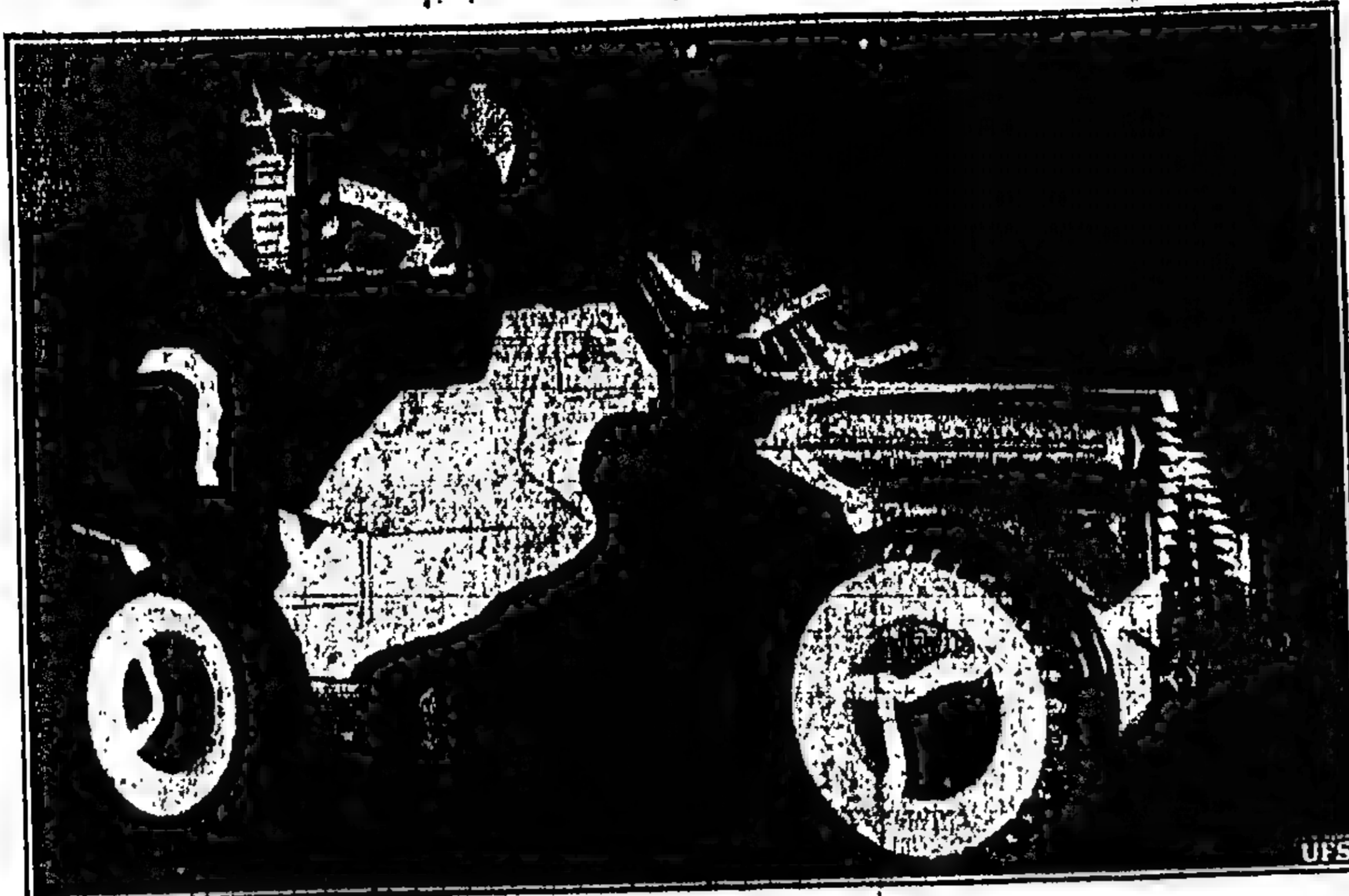
- 1—Reveries
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- 3—Town in Saxony
- 4—Pertaining to aeronautics
- 5—Chief Justice U. S. Supreme Court (1795)
- 6—Fringing plants
- 7—Flat-bottomed river boats
- 8—Africa (Scottish)
- 9—Africa river
- 10—Drying to safety
- 11—Provoke
- 12—Pigment
- 13—American humorist
- 14—In full bloom
- 15—Hebrew letter
- 16—Antony
- 17—Allow
- 18—Star witness
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DOWN

- 1—Man's given name
- 2—Kiev (Ukrainian)
- 3—Disease
- 4—Russian city
- 5—Clean with broom
- 6—Unusually moist
- 7—Cereal straw
- 8—Reluctant to that thing
- 9—Ancient Sicilian city
- 10—Good-natured ridicule
- 11—Single group
- 12—Brooklet
- 13—Year
- 14—Oliver's name
- 15—Astronomically directed
- 16—Hard-skinned fruit
- 17—Bitter resinous oil
- 18—Depart
- 19—Flat-bottomed river boats
- 20—Conveying
- 21—Meditative poem
- 22—Fishes upward
- 23—Polish river
- 24—Derived from oil
- 25—Crane to live
- 26—Avenue
- 27—For
- 28—Reddish-brown coloring matter
- 29—Produce by agitation
- 30—Dried meat
- 31—Thin strip of wood
- 32—Unit of distance
- 33—Dissected
- 34—Egyptian hieroglyph
- 35—Lower
- 36—Direction of sunrise
- 37—Prests recent
- 38—Obsequious
- 39—Girl's name



NEWS IN PHOTOGRAPHS



This new high-speed anti-aircraft tank, said to have a speed of 114 miles an hour and weighing 2,000 pounds less than the present United States Army tank, is demonstrated by its designer, Preston Tucker, at Rahway, N. J. It was built in Detroit of welded armour. In rear is a revolving turret carrying an anti-aircraft gun.



Joseph Buerckel, Nazi Commissioner for Austria, who announced in a Vienna speech restrictions on Catholics, assailing Cardinal Innitzer and the "political clergy." He said the church wantonly attacked the Government.



Theodor Cardinal Innitzer, 62-year-old Archbishop of Vienna, wounded in the forehead by flying glass after Nazi mobs partly wrecked the archiepiscopal palace in the Austrian capital. Rioting was said to be in retaliation for a sermon by the Cardinal in which he criticised the Nazis.



Prince Henry, Count of Paris and brother to the exiled French throne, who made a dramatic secret airplane trip from Belgium to a Paris suburb to plead for the restoration of the monarchy. He asserted that otherwise France's capitulation at Munich would make her a second-rate power. His trip broke the traditional rule of exile, but he got away before French police heard about it.

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PRISONERS OF WAR

Removal from Li Hong To Kowloon Camp

One of the Government refugee camps is to be given over for the use of the Chinese soldiers who have been interned since they crossed the New Territories frontier during the hostilities at Shumchun.

At present the 900 soldiers are on board the steamship Li Hong in Kowloon Bay where they are treated as prisoners. Since they were interned, another 200 soldiers have given themselves up.

It is understood that the Li Hong has been laid up so long that she would need some overhaul before being suitable for use again. The kitchen and domestic arrangements for housing such a large body of men until the termination of the war were unsatisfactory. The caterer has had to prepare meals for the men ashore.

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ROME, Dec. 4.
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The Italian plane, piloted by Lieut-Colonel Angelo Tondi, recorded speeds of 470 kilometres per hour.

The plane started at 8.47 a.m. from the military aerodrome at Montecelio, near Rome, and established records on the route to Marinella, Naples and Montorio.—*Trans-Ocean*.

THE S. P. C. A. FLAG DAY

The sale of flags on behalf of the Hongkong Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals on Saturday, November 25, realised \$1,509.49. Of this sum \$951.74 was collected in Hongkong, the following being the amounts of the highest collectors:—Miss Yuxall \$60.70; Mrs. Gerard \$40.80; Miss Wong Chai-yeo \$31.49; and Miss Ma Lai-lau \$30.59. Mrs. Dicken was in charge of the organisation for Hongkong.

Kowloon sales under Mrs. Smalley amounted to \$817.75, but details of individual collections are not available.

The Hongkong S.P.C.A. extends warmest thanks to all those ladies who gave so much of their time, and to all those who so kindly contributed, thus enabling the Flag Day to be successful.

The Hon. Treasurer also wishes to acknowledge with thanks the following contributions towards the Society's funds:

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RAILWAY MANAGER

Major R. D. Walker, M.C., who returned to the Colony by the Empress of Canada on Friday, has resumed duty as manager and chief engineer of the British section of the Kowloon-Canton Railway.

Jews Must Wear A Yellow Badge

BERLIN, Dec. 4.
IT IS RELIABLY STATED that a decree will be issued shortly compelling Jews of both sexes, when outdoors, to wear a yellow badge inscribed with the star of David.

Meanwhile economic pressure for payment of the milliard-mark levy is inexorably continuing, and the car prohibition decree came in the nature of an anti-climax, as hardly any Jews are in an economic position to drive cars, and some cars are being sold for practically nothing.

One Jewish professional man "voluntarily" sold his car costing £1,500 for less than £1, and another sold two cars for £1.

The German Official Agency, in issuing the text of the car decree, commented: "With this new defence measure against Jewish arrogance the Nazi State has given expression to the healthy feeling of justice of the German people. Until now the German people have borne with unparalleled forbearance the sight of Jews enjoying the advantage of Herr Hitler's roads, built by the hands of German workmen.—*Reuter Special*.

RABBIS TO LEAVE

Jerusalem, Dec. 4.
The Government has issued 30 permits for the immigration of German rabbis.

The permits were granted at the request of the Chief Rabbi of Palestine.—*Reuter*.

Queenie And Her Hawaiians Delight

Successful Opening To Gloucester Hotel Season

Queenie, David, and their Hawaiian girls, enjoyed a triumphant opening to their season at the Gloucester Hotel on Saturday, a huge crowd cheering them and calling for repeated encores, which were given with characteristic generosity.

Queenie was a host in herself, and it was obvious that she has lost no admirers since her last visit to Hongkong. Deliciously entertaining were her saucy interpolations and mimicry. Queenie had the crowd rocking with laughter and applause, while her cheerful personality, expressed in singing, playing and dancing found a ready response from the gay Gloucester Hotel patrons.

The three girls were also big hits. Dillian Roque was vociferously received for her torch-singing, and had to answer repeated calls, while Mary Walter earned continuous applause for her interpretation of the Hula Hula. Nina Warsaw also danced effectively, and with Queenie and David putting across some of their best duets, the entertainment never lagged.

It was quite a memorable night, and assured a very successful season for the popular Hawaiian troupe who will continue to present programmes until the New Year.

Guerillas Battle In Canton

CANTON, Dec. 4.
WHILE THE JAPANESE military authorities clamped strict Martial Law throughout Canton to-day, refusing permission for foreigners to leave Shameen, gunfire became increasingly noticeable.

From authoritative sources I learn that a band of Chinese soldiers, in plain clothes, broke into the city near the Goddess of Mercy temple shortly after midnight.

A battle developed near the compound housing the Japanese garrison, and consulate near the Flowery Pagoda hand grenades being freely employed by the Chinese.

Casualties are unknown, the Japanese admitting that one soldier was killed.

The sortie was followed by an unprecedented mopping up campaign by the Japanese this morning, the entire city being searched for guerillas. Any armed men discovered by the Japanese were summarily dealt with. Japanese firms which had reopened in the native city are reported to have closed their premises. Their staffs came into Shamoen this morning.—*Our Own Correspondent*.

CZECHS SEEK TRADE WITH EMPIRE

Prague, Dec. 4.
Hope of increased trade with Britain and the British dominions was expressed by Dr. Hacha, the new President of Czechoslovakia in an exclusive interview with *Reuter*. Dr. Hacha declared that the continuous development in the exchange of merchandise between the British Empire and Czechoslovakia would prove to be the best support for normalisation of the Czech economic situation.

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NAVAL VOLUNTEER PROJECTS

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London, Dec. 4.
Arrangements are far advanced for building a chain of Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve establishments throughout the Empire, writes the *Sunday Times* naval correspondent. This step marks the beginning of a co-ordinated effort on the part of the colonies to bear their part in naval defence of the Empire and its trade routes.

After recognising that the Dominions long had their Naval Volunteer Reserve divisions, the writer points out that the first colony to follow this lead is the Straits Settlements. Recently R.N.V.R. divisions were established in Hongkong and Kenya. Steps are now being taken for establishment of similar organisations in Ceylon, Sierra Leone, Gambia, Nigeria and the Gold Coast. Preliminary legislation has already been passed by the colonial authorities concerned and final legislation required to bring the divisions into being is expected shortly. The establishment of a division in Malia is also under urgent consideration.

Discussing the development of the Straits Settlements division, the writer says there is now a call for increase in the number of permanent naval instructors. Simultaneously with the R.N.V.R. developments, there will be a drive by the Royal Navy to effect a large increase in the number of craft available for auxiliary patrol duties in time of war. As more become available some—particularly small minesweepers and trawlers fitted for minesweeping and submarine hunting—will be placed at the disposal of the new reserve units. Thus the reserve will be not only in personnel but also ships will be built up at all strategic centres of the Empire.—*Reuter*.

TAXI DAMAGED

Hits Verandah Pillar In Midnight Collision

A taxi was considerably damaged when it crashed into a verandah pillar in Hennessy Road near Canal Road West, Wanchai, about 1 a.m. yesterday.

The vehicle was being driven by Lo Chu-kee, and carried a woman passenger. Lo suffered injuries to his mouth and teeth, while the woman was injured in the mouth and knees. Both were taken to the Queen Mary Hospital.

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CHUNGKING BEAUTY

Lily Lee Flies To Hongkong

Chungking, Dec. 3.
The popular Manchurian dancer Lily Lee, who was several times arrested between June and the end of November on suspicion of espionage, was finally released on bail and was permitted to leave Chungking yesterday, when she flew to Hongkong. This striking beauty is said to enjoy the widest friendship of important Government officials and military officers. It is alleged that she is acquainted with the famed male impersonator Manchou spy, Miao Yoshiko Kawashima. Lily Lee published notices in Chungking newspapers to-day saying farewell and promising a reunion with her Chungking friends next spring.—*United Press*.

HIT AND RUN

A boy, Wong Chat, residing at Tung Street, West Point, was admitted to the Tung Wah Hospital on Saturday, suffering from injuries to his hips caused through being knocked down by an unknown motor car in Queen's Road West. The car did not stop.

FIENDISH TORTURE MURDER IN N.T. Mutilated Body of Victim Had No Ears

POLICE FIND BODY FLOATING IN SHUM CHUN RIVER

ONE OF THE MOST FIENDISH INSTANCES OF DEATH BY TORTURE EVER RECORDED IN HONGKONG HAS BEEN BROUGHT TO LIGHT BY THE RECOVERY OF THE BODY OF AN UNKNOWN CHINESE FROM THE SHUM CHUN RIVER.

POPE HAS RELAPSE

ROME, Dec. 4. THOSE VERY CLOSE to the Pope were again seriously concerned to-day by the state of his health.

Signs of exhaustion made treatment by the Pope's medical attendant necessary this evening.

It is stated that disturbances in blood circulation have again occurred, but no official communication has yet been issued. —Trans-Ocean.

Yesterday's Weather In Hongkong

Yesterday's maximum temperature was 72, with a minimum of 63. This morning at 10 o'clock the thermometer was 71, and humidity 57 per cent.

The Royal Observatory weather report issued this morning stated that pressure is increasing over China, where a new anti-cyclone is developing. The Manchurian depression is moving eastward across the Sea of Japan, and a depression is also indicated to the north-west of Yap.

Local forecast is: North-east winds; moderate to fresh; fair.

FANLING GOLF RESULTS

A. M. Mack, with a score of 84-18-66, qualified for the Captain's Cup December round, played at Fanling on December 3 and 4. There were 39 entries.

The Optional Pool was won by W. J. E. Mackenzie, 89-10-70. There were 13 entries.

On the New Course, H. Overy, 89-21-68, qualified and also wins the Optional Pool. There were 19 entries for the competition and 10 for the Pool.

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4 m/s France	11 1/2
30 d/s India	84 1/2
U.S. Cross rate in London	4.68 1/2

Face Towel May Aid In Tracing Taipo Murderer

A SMALL FACE TOWEL, believed to have been sold at one of the Chinese departmental stores in Hongkong, may lead police to the murderer of an unknown Chinese man whose body was found on a hillside yesterday near the main New Territories highway to Taipo.

The battered body of the man was discovered, lying on its back, above the washing tanks near the highway.

The man's feet were tied with the small towel.

A large rock completely covered his battered face.

Marks of injuries on the lower part of the abdomen and on the torso indicated that the man had put up a terrific struggle before he had been overpowered and tied.

The body, badly decomposed, was found floating in the river near Lokmachau, on the border.

Before the man had been put to death by having his throat gashed from end to end, his torturers had

cut off both his thumbs; cut off both his ears; criss-crossed his face and body with deep incisions, not sufficiently deep to cause his death, unless through shock, but merely as an additional method of torture.

The final act was to slit the man's throat, thus ending his torture with swift and merciful death.

Preliminary investigations indicate that the fiendish crime was committed either in or on the shores of Deep Bay.

The waters of Deep Bay are British territory and for several weeks past have been infested with pirate craft, an average of at least one piracy a day being reported to the police since the beginning of November.

The northern shores of Deep Bay are Chinese territory, recently occupied and evacuated by the Japanese.

The body of the unknown man, whose age is placed at about 30 years, is believed to have been washed up the still waters of Shum Chun by recent spring tides.

CLUE FROM CLOTHES

The gruesome discovery was made by a Chinese police officer attached to Lokmachau Police Station.

The man was dressed in tattered clothing, but only shreds remained when the body was discovered.

The blood-stained remains of the clothing may, however, give police a clue to the identity of the unknown man, and detectives have been assigned to the case.

Club Hockey Teams For The Week

The following teams have been chosen to represent the 1st XI and the "A" XI of the Hongkong Hockey Club in matches arranged for this week.

Play will commence sharp at 5 p.m. and members are asked to make every effort to be on time.

1st XI (v. H. K. S. R. A. on the Club ground on Wednesday, December 7). — V. M. Benwell; L. F. Stokes; E. V. Reed; H. J. D. Lowe; W. A. Reed; N. B. Whitley; S. Fowler; T. D. Whitley; G. E. R. Diver (Capt); D. I. Bifford and V. Bond.

"A" XI (v. H. M. S. Eagle Lower Deck on the Club ground on Friday, December 9). — H. F. Shields; L. Starbuck; W. Schnabel; R. A. Bates; H. J. D. Lowe; W. Brown; G. D. Woolgar; W. Spencer; E. F. A. Morgan; K. A. Bidmead and I. P. Timworth.

JAPANESE WRESTLER PASSES AWAY

Osaka, Dec. 5. Takanishiki, Champion of sumo, traditional Japanese-style wrestling, who received an operation in the Nissei Hospital here several days ago, died of pneumonia at 2:25 p.m. on Sunday. He was 35 years old. — Domei.



DR. C. T. WANG, former Chinese Ambassador to the United States, returned to Hongkong by Pan American Clipper on Saturday. — Staff Photographer.

Big Opium Haul On H.K. Steamer

WHEN THE BLUE FUNNEL vessel Achilles arrived in Singapore recently en route to Hongkong, opium worth HK\$40,000 was discovered on board.

Singapore Excise officers boarded the ship as she lay alongside the Main Wharf at Keppel Harbour and discovered one of the largest hauls of illicit opium made this year.

No extensive search was necessary to discover the opium, which was found in the firemen's forecastle, apparently ready to be lowered to a sampan. There were eight sacks, containing 2,728 tules of opium, valued at \$16 a tale. No ownership could be established.

Excise officers suspected that an attempt to smuggle opium ashore from the Achilles was to be made and a sea patrol kept watch the night before the seizure was made.

This prevented the illicit "cargo" from being lowered to sampans manned by accomplices of the smugglers.

This is the second recent haul of opium, made by the Singapore revenue officers. Not long ago, 1,000 tules of opium was seized in the engine-room of the Swedish ship Miramar after it arrived from Hongkong with a cargo of coal for Borneo.

BIG HAUL IN HONGKONG

The discovery of 15,783 heroin pills following a raid by Revenue Officer Warden in a Chinese village near Shamshuipo last month led to the conviction of Wong Shing when he appeared on remand before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

The raid was carried out at 3:30 p.m. on November 25 when an unnumbered hut at the So Yuk Village was entered. Defendant was found lying on a bed, and beside him was found a package of heroin pills. In the cockpit was found another parcel containing heroin pills, two machines for making pills, and seven trays for drying purposes. There was also a drying cupboard found on the premises.

When questioned, defendant admitted the pills were left there by somebody and that he was in charge of them.

Sentence of 12 months' hard labour and a fine of \$2,000 or another six months' hard labour was imposed.

Delia Brings Air Mail

Daedalus Becomes
A Total Loss

The Imperial Airways plane Delia landed at Kai Tak at 11:20 a.m. to-day with the mails delayed from Saturday.

The Delia left Bangkok yesterday and stopped overnight at Hanoi. It is now learned that the Daedalus which was burnt out at Bangkok on Saturday afternoon is a total loss. An inquiry is being held.

The planes Daedalus and Delphinus will hop off from Hongkong to-morrow at dawn on the outward mail run, and there is another plane due here at 5 p.m. on Wednesday with further Christmas mails.

Italians Set New Records

ROME, Dec. 4. FIVE NEW WORLD records for speed, with increased loads up to 2,000 kilograms, were established by Italian army aeroplanes to-day, a three-engined bombing plane of the "Attholi" type being used.

The Italian plane, piloted by Lieut-Colonel Angelo Tondi, recorded speeds of 470 kilometres per hour.

The plane started at 8.47 a.m. from the military aerodrome at Montecelio, near Rome, and established records on the route to Marinella, Naples and Montonilo. — Trans-Ocean.

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning.

Banks
H.K. Banks, \$1400 ea.
H.K. Bank (Loan Ref.), £83 n.
Chartered Bank, £0 1/2 n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B., £27 1/2 n.
Mercantile Bank, C., £13 n.
East Asia Bank, \$88 n.

Insurance
Canton Ins., \$215 n.
Union Ins., \$485 b.
China Underwriters, 75 cts. s.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$100 n.

Shipping
Douglas, \$90 b.
H.K. Steamboats, \$18 n.
Indo-Chinas (Pref.), \$80 n.
Indo-Chinas (Def.), \$24 n.
Shell Bearer, s/- 82/6 n.
Union Waterboats, \$0 n.

Docks Etc.
H.K. & K. Wharves, \$118 ea.
H.K. Docks (old), \$18 1/4 n.
H.K. Docks (new), \$17 1/4 n.
Providents (old), \$5.70 n.
Providents (new), \$5.40 n.
New Engineering Sh., \$4.80 n.
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$100 n.
Kaitum Mining Adm., s/- 17/- n.
Raubs, \$9.10 n.
Venz Goldfield, \$3 n.
Hongkong Mines, 7 1/2 cts. n.

Philippine Mining
Antamoks, P. 48 sa.
Atoks, P. 25 sa.
Baguio Gold P. 24 1/4 sa.
Bongat Consol., P. —
Coco Grove, P. 5 sa.
Consolidated Mines, P. 0035 sa.
Demonstrations, P. 29 sa.
I.X.L., —
San Mauricio, P. 1.80 sa.
Suyoc Consol., P. 10 1/4 sa.
United Phosphates, P. 52 sa.

Leased Hotels, etc.
H. and S. Hotels, \$55 s.
H.K. Lands, \$35 s.
H.K. Lands 4% deb. 107 1/2 n.
Shanghai Lands, Sh. \$8.90 n.
Humphreys, \$8 1/2 b.
H.K. Realities, \$5 1/4 n.
Chinese Estates, \$90 n.

Public Utilities
H.K. Tramways, \$16.80 b.
Peak Trams (old), \$6 1/4 n.
Peak Trams (new), \$3 1/4 n.
Star Ferries, \$71 b.

Yauwatt Ferries (old), \$23 n.
Yauwatt Ferries (new), \$22 1/4 n.
China Light (old), \$10.70 b.
China Light (new), \$10.40 b.
H.K. Electric, \$56 1/2 b.

Macao Electric, \$17 1/4 n.
Sandakan Lights, \$10.20 b.
Telephone (old), \$23.50 n.
Telephone (new), \$8.60 n.
Singapore Traction, s/- 22/6 n.
Singapore Pref., s/- 25/- n.

Industrial
Cold Macg. (old), Sh. \$14 n.
Cold Macg. (Pref.), Sh. \$13 n.
Canton Ices, \$1.70 n.
Cements, \$15.20 n.
H.K. Ropes, \$4.65 s.

Stores, &c.
Dairy Farms, \$24 b.
Watsons, \$7 b.
Lane Crawford, \$8 1/4 n.
Sinceres, \$2 n.
Wing On (H.K.), \$30 n.
William Powell, Ltd., 90 cts. n.

Cotton Mills
Ewo Cotton Sh. \$10.10 n.
Shui Cotton Sh. \$110 n.
Zoong Sings, Sh. \$24 n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$40 n.

Miscellaneous
H.K. Entertainments, \$6 1/4 n.
Constructions, \$1 1/4 n.
Vibro Piling, \$6 1/4 b.
Cit. Govt. 5% 1925 G.S. Bonds, 3 1/2 n.
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 8% prm. b.
H.K. Govt. 3 1/2% Loan par b.
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Marsmans (H.K.), s/- 3/- n.

Guerillas Battle In Canton

CANTON, Dec. 4. WHILE THE JAPANESE military authorities clamped strict Martial Law throughout Canton to-day, refusing permission for foreigners to leave Shameen, gunfire became increasingly noticeable.

From authoritative sources I learn that a band of Chinese soldiers, in plain clothes, broke into the city near the Goddess of Mercy temple shortly after midnight.

A battle developed near the compound housing the Japanese garrison, and consulate near the Flowery Pagoda hand grenades being freely employed by the Chinese.

Casualties are unknown, the Japanese admitting that one soldier was killed.

The sortie was followed by an unprecedented mopping up campaign by the Japanese this morning, the entire city being searched for guerillas. Any armed men discovered by the Japanese were summarily dealt with.

Japanese firms which had reopened in the native city are reported to have closed their premises. Their staffs came into Shameen this morning. — Our Own Correspondent.

Plane Saves Thirst-Crazed Crew Of Ship

Berlin, Dec. 4. Five thirst-crazed members of the crew of a sailing ship which was in distress near Bathurst, West Africa, owe their lives to the trans-Atlantic Lusitania air liner.

Sighting their plight after crossing from Brazil, the airliner wirelessly contacted the mother-ship Ostmark, which was moored at the mouth of Gamble. The Ostmark put to sea and rescued the crew to-day, while the plane flew on to Germany. — Reuter.

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HITLER'S VICTORY IN SUDETENLAND

Ceded Areas Vote Solidly For The Reich

Union With Germany Is Endorsed

BERLIN, Dec. 5.
LATEST RESULTS from the supplementary Reichstag elections in the Sudeten territory issued at 1.30 a.m. this morning, covered 49 out of the 66 districts, in which 1,435,478 votes recorded "Yes", 11,811 voted "No", and 3,349 votes were declared invalid. The total of valid votes was 1,447,289, while 1,466,504 are entitled to vote.—*Trans-Ocean.*

EARLY RESULTS AND ELECTION SCENES

Berlin, Dec. 4.
 The first results of the supplementary Reichstag elections held today in the Sudeten-German territories, ceded to Germany by Czechoslovakia, and regarded also in the Reich as an endorsement of the union of these territories with the Reich, shows such unanimity as to surprise even Berlin.

About 3,000,000 people were entitled to vote. In the world famous Spa of Marienbad, 4,269 voted "Yes", and no negative votes were recorded at all. In Falkenau there were four "No" votes as against 7,115 who voted in the affirmative.

It is, however, not expected that such favourable results have been achieved in all places, but it is taken for granted that in the main, the affirmative votes will be extraordinarily high, and not less proportionately than at the elections held in the German Reich and in former Austria.

EVERYBODY VOTES

The final results, which originally were not expected before Monday morning, will probably be known by midnight, since the election organization in the Sudetenland has worked excellently.

The election itself which has to be held throughout the whole of the Reich, since many Sudeten Germans have been living there for some years past, and in part have been forced to flee from Czechoslovakia because of their avowed Germanhood, began everywhere early this morning and the voting closed at 6 p.m.

Although in some districts of the Sudetenland, voters had to walk for

hours to reach the polling booths, between 80 and 90 per cent. of those entitled to vote, had done so by midday.

The Regional Leader, Herr Konrad Henlein, and his deputy, Herr Karl Hermann Frank, both of them old leaders of the Sudeten-German Party, voted in the provincial capital of Reichenberg.

The meticulously-planned organization saw to it that every voter was reached. Chorus marched through the streets which were decorated with slogans, garlands and flags. The wireless service was pressed into use to remind every individual voter of his duty. In front of every polling station members of the National Socialist Automobile Association were ready with their vehicles to bring sick people and invalids to the poll. Ambulance-voting commissions visited hospitals and the homes of those electors unable to be transported.

Voters appeared at the polling booths in gaily-coloured national costumes handed down for generations as heirlooms.

In the Moravian town of Znam, election-day began with the return of the old Austrian Infantry Regiment 90, which in 1918 had been taken to Vienna when Czech legions occupied the country.

Every voter who had done his duty was given an election badge denoting this.

HOW DID CZECHS VOTE?

How the Czech voters in Sudetenland voted cannot yet be ascertained. It seems, however, that a greater part of them have voted "Yes". However, it is expected that a number of Czech votes will be found invalid. In certain cases Czech voters were unable to vote as they are at present serving in the Czech army,



To clear railroad lines of mines laid by Arab terrorists in Palestine, armoured cars manned by Royal Engineers and Royal West Kent—nicknamed the "Suicide Squad"—are sent ahead of trains. A projected mine sweeper explodes the mines before the cars arrive directly over them. Above, an armoured car proceeds ahead of a train near Tulkarm.

Briton and Japanese Engineer Involved in Hankow Incident

King Carol Dissatisfied With Visits

Budapest, Dec. 4.
 King Carol of Rumania is said to be dissatisfied with the results of his visit to London, state newspapers here.

This dissatisfaction is believed to be the reason why the King has recalled the Rumanian Minister in London, who is to be succeeded by the former Minister, M. Tillea.

It is also stated that the Rumanian Minister in Paris will resign, and that the Rumanian Foreign Minister will be replaced.—*Trans-Ocean.*

having been called up during the crisis, and not yet dismissed again.—*Trans-Ocean.*

HANKOW, Dec. 4.

IT IS reliably reported that the British Consul-General is considering protesting against an incident on December 3 in which a Briton, Mr. Ronald Cameron, Secretary of the Special Administrative District No. 3 Council attempted to prevent a Japanese engineer from opening a street hydrant and emptying the mains. An altercation followed and fisticuffs ensued, after which Mr. Cameron was taken off to the Japanese gendarmerie headquarters and detained for an hour. Afterwards he was taken to the British consulate.

The British Consul-General said that the Japanese gendarme apologized, and it was apparent that there had been a misunderstanding, as both Cameron and the Japanese soldier claimed to have been "manhandled."

It is considered that the incident has been amicably settled unless Mr. Cameron proves that he was injured as a result of the affair.—*United Press.*

INCIDENT INVOLVING AMERICAN HOSPITAL SETTLED

Peking, Dec. 5.
 The explanation given by Japanese authorities regarding the attack by mistake on the American hospital in Sutsien in northern Kiangsu on November 5, which caused the death of one Chinese inmate, was accepted with satisfaction by the authorities of the American hospital, it was announced here today.

The officials of the American hospital lodged a protest regarding the incident, replying to which the Japanese authorities have explained that Japanese airplanes were first fired on from the compound of the hospital and that the Japanese craft then responded to the Chinese fire.

The Japanese immediately stopped attack upon recognition of the American flag flying over the hospital.

With the settlement of the present affair, it is pointed out, five incidents involving foreign agents in North China have been solved amicably since October.—*Domei.*

REICH CONSUL-GENERAL LEAVES U.S.

San Francisco, Dec. 4.
 Baron Manfred von Killinger, the German Consul-General has left for Berlin where he is "combining private, with official business."

He will, his attaché states, make a report to the Government on general conditions on the Pacific seaboard of the United States, including the mysterious explosion last month on the German freighter, Vancouver.—*Reuter.*

MEXICAN ACE SETS RECORD

Mexico City, Dec. 3.
 Captain Francis Sarabia, one of Mexico's air aces, lowered the record for the "hop" from Los Angeles by more than one hour.

He landed his monoplane here at 2.13 p.m., having completed the 1,050 miles journey from Los Angeles in 8 hours 34 minutes non-stop.—*United Press.*

Ningpo Defence Commander Is Executed

KINHWA, Dec. 5.

FOR FAILING repeatedly to obey the orders of his superior command, General Wang Sheng-nan, Defence Commander of Ningpo, was ordered executed by the Supreme Command on December 3.

Wang was only recently married on November 11, and was placed in custody three days later.—*Central News.*

Arrest Of German Sends Memel Agog

Memel, Dec. 4.
 The sudden, and apparently unjustified arrest of a leading Memel German in Memel territory, where the elections will be held on Sunday next, has aroused great indignation among the population.

It became known on Saturday that Deputy Chairman Cerpinski of the German Cultural Union, to which all Memel Germans belong, was stopped as he was leaving his house by two officials of the Lithuanian State Security police, who, according to the Memel Convention, have no right to interfere in Memelland.

Herr Cerpinski was taken to the Security Police headquarters where he was subjected to a three-hour cross-examination about the internal activities of the Cultural Union. After the examination he was set free.

Excitement in Memelland is all the greater since interference of this kind by the Lithuanian authorities in Memel territory have of late become numerous.—*Trans-Ocean.*

U.S. To Float \$400,000,000 Bond Issue

Washington, Dec. 4.
 The United States Treasury on December 15, will offer for cash \$400,000,000 worth of 1938-39 two and three-quarters per cent. bonds, as well as \$300,000,000 worth of 1½ per cent. five-year notes. Similar bonds and notes in additional quantities will be offered on a dollar for dollar basis to the holders of \$942,000,000 maturing 1½ per cent. notes. The maturing notes may also be exchanged at par for the new series of two per cent. Treasury bonds.—*Reuter.*

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CHAPEL DEDICATED

Retiring G.O.C. Present At Stanley Function

The last service which the G.O.C. Major-General A. W. Bartholomew will attend in the Colony, was the dedication yesterday of the new Chapel, accommodation in the recreation building for the Royal Artillery at Stanley. The building, in accordance with modern practice, contains all amenities for men living in barracks and one end is given over for a chapel, available for all denominations.

Rev. W. M. A. Farren, Assistant Chaplain General, dedicated the building and Rev. S. Hinchcliffe conducted the service. The chapel altar and furnishings were gifts from the 8th Heavy Regiment, Royal Artillery, the General Officer Commanding, the Officer Commanding, R.A., Hongkong; the late O.C., R.A., Hongkong; Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers, Artillery; Ladies of the Royal Artillery; the Aide-de-Camp and many others.

Mrs. Bartholomew was present at the service as were also Brigadiers A. B. Thomson, R. Burrows, J. T. W. Reeve, officers and their ladies. The Royal Artillery, of course, present in strength. The music for the service was provided by the Middlesex Regiment.

ITALIAN CLAIM FOR FRENCH TERRITORIES

Press Attacks Grow

ROME, Dec. 4. **WITH UNSLACKENING** vigour the press continues its attacks on France, and demands a further development of the Munich agreement to Italy's advantage.

Both the "Popolo di Roma," and Signor Gayda in "Voce d'Italia" scout the idea that Italy can be satisfied with the Franco-Italian agreement of 1935.

Gayda says that Italy has a right to intervene in certain directions to re-establish an equilibrium so necessary, right and proper now that she has conquered Ethiopia—*Reuter*.

BRITISH ENVOY SEE CIANO

Count Ciano is understood to have informed both the British and French Ambassadors yesterday that he was unable to take responsibility for the shouts of individual deputies.

It is learned that Lord Perth saw Count Ciano twice yesterday and enquired regarding the significance to be attached to the incident in the Chamber.

In the second conversation, says *Reuter's* diplomatic correspondent, it was presumed that Lord Perth received to the Anglo-Italian pact provision which stipulates that neither Power wishes for alteration in the territorial status quo of the Western Mediterranean.

It was gathered to-night that there was no reason to believe that Italy has any intention of not standing by the terms of the agreement.

FIRM STAND BY FRANCE

Paris, Dec. 4. The firm and prompt reaction in France and among the populations of Corsica and Tunisia to the Italian demonstrations, coupled with Count Ciano's reply to the French representations, are considered here to have closed the recent incident unless the problem is raised officially, or the Italian press campaign again becomes violent.

Le Temps points out that while the Italian press refers to the Franco-Italian agreement of 1935 as non-existent, it does not mention that under the agreement France ceded certain territories to Italy, namely Southern Libya, and the island of Dumeira.

Thirty-five thousand persons in Alameda demonstrated in favour of France to-day. Marching in a column over a mile long behind the Mayor and Municipal Councillors, and shouting "Vive Corse," "Vive France," they marched towards the Italian Consulate outside of the town, where they were stopped by a large force of police.

A big demonstration similarly arranged in Bastia passed off quietly. French and vernacular newspapers in France continue to protest against the Italian demonstration. Telegrams and letters expressing loyalty to France are pouring in to the Resident-General.—*Reuter*.

HIGH PRICE FOR FRIENDSHIP

Rome, Dec. 4. Italy's claims to Tunis are regarded as one of the chief clues on which

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the chances of her sinking her differences with France depend.

The success Italy considers she achieved as arbiter at Munich and Vienna and her confidence in German support and the feeling of security given her by the completion of the Anglo-Italian agreement, has combined to make Italy set a high price for the resumption of the Franco-Italian talks.

It is noteworthy that French occupation of Tunis was the determining factor in Italy's decision to ally herself with Germany, Austria and Hungary in 1932.

Out of a total European population in Tunis of 213,000, some 108,000 are French and 94,000 Italians, including naturalised Italians.

Italy would now like not merely to regain the rights held by Italians in Tunis surrendered under the Laval agreement of 1935, which Italy considers to have lapsed owing to French participation in sanctions during the Abyssinian war, but, by the extension of the minorities principle adopted at Munich, to encroach on the territorial integrity of the French possession. Italy's other demands relate firstly to Suez Canal dues, one Italian suggestion being that the Canal Company should be converted into a public utility, secondly that Italy would like to control the Djibouti railway, and thirdly that France should acquiesce in a Spanish settlement favourable to General Franco. British circles here, however, are inclined to believe that Italy will finally reduce her terms.—*Reuter*.

JAPANESE SUPPORT

Tokyo, Dec. 4. Support for Italy's claims against France is voiced in an article in the Yomiuri Shimbun, which says that it is wiser for both countries to give due consideration to the question of reaching an amicable settlement by reasonable measures.—*Reuter*.

ANGLO-GERMAN PACT TO BE SIGNED

Berlin, Dec. 4. Herr Joseph von Ribbentrop's departure for Paris to sign the Anglo-German peace declaration comes as a climax to several weeks of propaganda in the press, over the radio, and in the utterances of public men. References to France, on the subject of the general strike were so overwhelmingly and suddenly sympathetic as to arouse comment in diplomatic quarters here.

It is considered in these circles that signature of the Franco-German declaration must be considered in connection with the south in French demonstrations in the Italian Chamber, as it is felt inconceivable that the latter could have occurred without the approval of the German Government.

One of the objects of this demonstration, it is believed, was to create a diversion in the south in order to give greater emphasis to Germany's gesture in the north, with the whole aim of furthering her designs in other parts of Europe.

The official view is put in the Diplomatic Korrespondenz which says that the "unanticipated German-French declaration is intended to overcome prejudices and to create a new basis for fruitful collaboration. The States of order which oppose the decomposition of forces in the world, now open their doors to the good, reconstructive forces of other nations."—*Reuter*.

CORSICA DEMONSTRATES

Paris, Dec. 4. In all parts of Corsica, numerous demonstrations of protest against the incident in the Italian Chamber took place to-day.

Corsica ex-servicemen assembled this morning and later issued a manifesto in which they declared that Corsica had never been Italian. They added that 40,000 Corsicans had fallen for France in the Great War.

A great demonstration took place at Ajaccio, where 2,000 young Frenchmen marched through the streets and finally smashed the windows of an Italian bookshop.

Violent altercations occurred between French and Italian residents, but when the demonstrators tried to reach the Italian Consulate they were driven back by police.

Order was restored during the afternoon.—*Trans-Ocean*.

CARS PROHIBITION DECREE

Berlin, Dec. 4. A decree issued by the chief of the secret police forbids German Jews to drive motor vehicles of all kinds. The decree adds that German Jews are no longer allowed to possess motor vehicles.—*Reuter*.

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Stalemate Ends War In North China

CHUNGKING, Dec. 5.

WAR PACE in south Hunan along the Canton-Hankow Railway and at central Hupeh along the Hankow-Ichang highway which was slowed down since a fortnight ago has now been further slackened to practically a stalemate with the invaders busily digging in to prevent Chinese counter-attacks.

At south Hunan, the Japanese are held up on the railway and along the Hupeh-Hunan highway within a radius of thirty kilometres from Yo-yang, while in central Hupeh the Japanese spearhead is about 100 kilometres west of Hankow.

Along the Tungting Lake, where Japanese gunboats had been most active two weeks ago, the place is described in military messages received here as quiet with occasional visits by Japanese planes doing reconnoitring work.

A message from Changteh stated severe artillery duel raged in the vicinity of Yo-yang on the morning of December 3 and lasted throughout the day. At Chenlingki, just above Yo-yang on the neck of the Tungting Lake, a big fire was reported raging.

In central Hupeh, strongly held Chinese positions defied further Japanese westward thrust from Cheho, Kingshan and Taoshih. The main force of the Japanese troops along this line, fearing constant guerrilla nagging and harassing from their hideouts along the Taping Mountains, have been withdrawn to Hankow.

Throughout the extended Japanese line from Sinyang in south Hunan, Chinese guerrilla activities have been increasing following the recapture of Loehai and Hwangchuan. Japanese forces at Sinyang, according to a report from Chungsiang, are subject to constant raids by these partisans.

To the east of the Canton-Hankow Railway along the Nanchang-Klu-kang line, the opposing forces remain at their mutual positions across the Siu River.—*Central News*.

AUSTIN CAR STOLEN

Lo Chi-on of Kowloon reported to the police yesterday that someone stole his Austin seven, worth \$1,000, from the Jordan Road ferry wharf.

NO TEA DANCE

There will be no Tea Dance at the Hongkong Hotel to-day.

RAILWAY MANAGER

Major R. D. Walker, M.C., who returned to the Colony by the Empress of Canada on Friday, has resumed duty as manager and chief engineer of the British section of the Kowloon-Canton Railway.

ROTARY CLUB

At to-morrow's meeting of the Hongkong Rotary Club, Rotarian J. L. Wilson will give a talk on "Glimpses of Persia."

Big City Theft: Court Sequel

THE DARING ROBBERY of two diamond rings, valued at \$3,800, from an open show window of Messrs. Sennet Freres, City, had a sequel in Court this morning, when Chen Ping, alias Chen Chi-leung, aged 62, was charged with the theft.

An alternative charge of receiving a diamond ring, knowing it to have been stolen, and of illegally pawning a diamond ring, was preferred.

Detective Sergeant E. Franklin revealed in evidence before Mr. R. Edwards this morning that the man had been arrested six hours after the two rings had been discovered missing.

The arrest was made following a tour by Det. Sergt. Franklin of pawnshops in the city.

At the Tai Fong pawn-shop, the police officer was shown a diamond ring which, he was told, had been pawned for \$1,100 by an elderly Chinese.

The pawn-broker was instructed to detain the man should he return. Two hours later defendant, who was the man alleged to have pawned the jewellery, returned to the shop to redeem some articles he had previously pawned. He was arrested.

The ring recovered from the pawn-shop was identified in court by Chan Siu-wo, general assistant at Messrs. Sennet Freres, as one of two stolen from the establishment.

Chow Fung-chiu, counter-hand at the Tai Fong Pawnshop, identified defendant as the man who had pawned the ring.

The case was adjourned for 24 hours.

WOUNDED MEN GO TO HOSPITAL

Managing to reach the British Border yesterday, two men named King Yau, 19, and Lau Yui, 32, with bullet wounds on their bodies, were removed to the Kowloon Hospital for attendance. The men were from the Namtau district.

POST OFFICE.

INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due
Straits	Antiochus	December 6.
Australia and Manila	Chang	December 6.
Haiphong, Pakhoi and Hoihow	Kingyuan	December 6.
Parcels from Calcutta and Straits	Taina	December 6.
Manila	Emp. of Canada	December 7.
Tientsin and Swatow	Hoihow	December 7.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 1st December	Imperial Airways Plane	December 7.
Haiphong	Laos	December 8.
Japan and Shanghai	Aramis	December 8.
Straits and Europe via Suez (Papers etc.) London date, 10th November and London Parcels—London date, 3rd November.	Chitral	December 8.
U.S.A., Honolulu and Japan (San Francisco date, 18th November)	Marchal Joffre	December 8.
Straits	Pres. Coolidge	December 8.
Japan and Shanghai	Aquas	December 8.
Java	M/V Canton	December 9.
Shanghai	Tibadak	December 9.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 4th December.	Tokushima Maru	December 9.
Bangkok and Hoihow	Imperial Airways Plane	December 10.
Japan	Kweiyang	December 10.
	Montevideo Maru	December 11.

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time
Monday		
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due 12th December.	Imperial Airways Plane	Mon. Dec. 5. K.P.O. Reg. Dec. 5, 5 p.m. Ord. Dec. 5, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O.
Air Mail for Malaya, Java and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due 12th December.	Imperial Airways Plane	Mon. Dec. 5. K.P.O. Reg. Dec. 5, 5 p.m. Ord. Dec. 5, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O.
Tuesday		
Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya	Tjisadane	Tues. Dec. 6, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow, Foochow and Tientsin	Yingchow	Tues. Dec. 6, 8.30 a.m.
Hoihow and Pakhoi	Kingchow	Tues. Dec. 6, Noon.
Fort Bayard and Haiphong	Jean Dupuis	Tues. Dec. 6, 2 p.m.
Swatow and Foochow	Seistan	Tues. Dec. 6, 3 p.m.
Wednesday		
Haiphong	Norviken	Wed. Dec. 7, 10 a.m.
Swatow and Tientsin	Fooshing	Wed. Dec. 7, 10.30 a.m.
Anshun	Anshun	Wed. Dec. 7, 1.30 p.m.
Amoy	Tainan	Wed. Dec. 7, 3.30 p.m.
Thursday		
Shanghai and Japan	Marchal Joffre	Thurs. Dec. 8, 1.30 p.m.
Saloon	Aramis	Thurs. Dec. 8, 3.30 p.m.
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 15th December	Imperial Airways Plane	Thurs. Dec. 8. K.P.O. Reg. Dec. 8, 5 p.m. Ord. Dec. 8, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O.
Air Mail for Malaya, Java and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney, 17th December.	Imperial Airways Plane	Thurs. Dec. 8. K.P.O. Reg. Dec. 8, 5 p.m. Ord. Dec. 8, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O.
Manila	President Coolidge	Thurs. Dec. 8. K.P.O. Reg. Dec. 8, 5 p.m. Ord. Dec. 8, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O.
Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America via Vancouver B.C., and (Parcels and Papers only for Canada)—due Vancouver B.C., 28th December	Empress of Canada	Thurs. Dec. 8. G.P.O. and K.P.O. Reg. Dec. 8, 5 p.m. Ord. Dec. 8, 5.10 a.m.
Friday		
Sandakan	Mausang	Fri. Dec. 9, 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan and Europe (except Great Britain and Elre) via Siberia	Chitral	Fri. Dec. 9, 10.30 a.m.
Parcels only for Calcutta	Hosang	Fri. Dec. 9, Noon.
Fort Bayard and Hoihow	Yochow	Fri. Dec. 9, Noon.
Manila, Saloon, Bangkok, Mauritius, Reunion, Madagascar and Lourenco Marques	Ruya	Fri. Dec. 9, 2.30 p.m.

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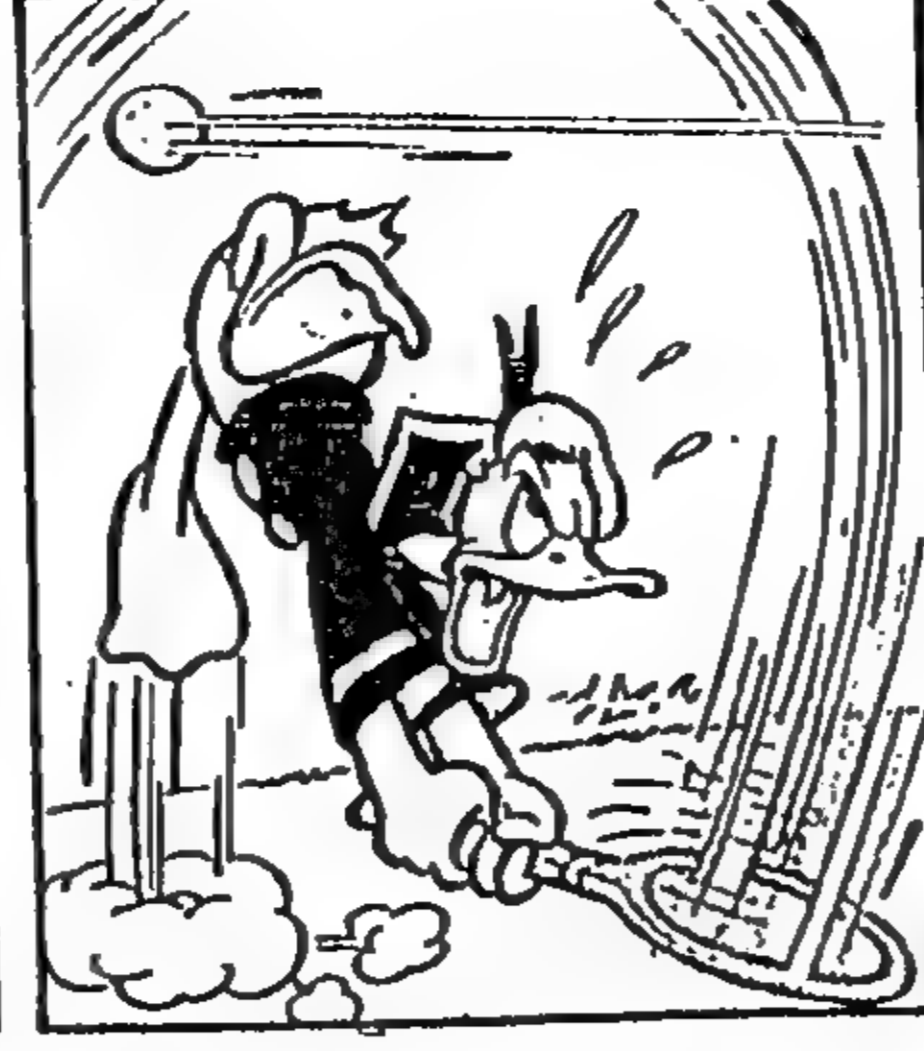
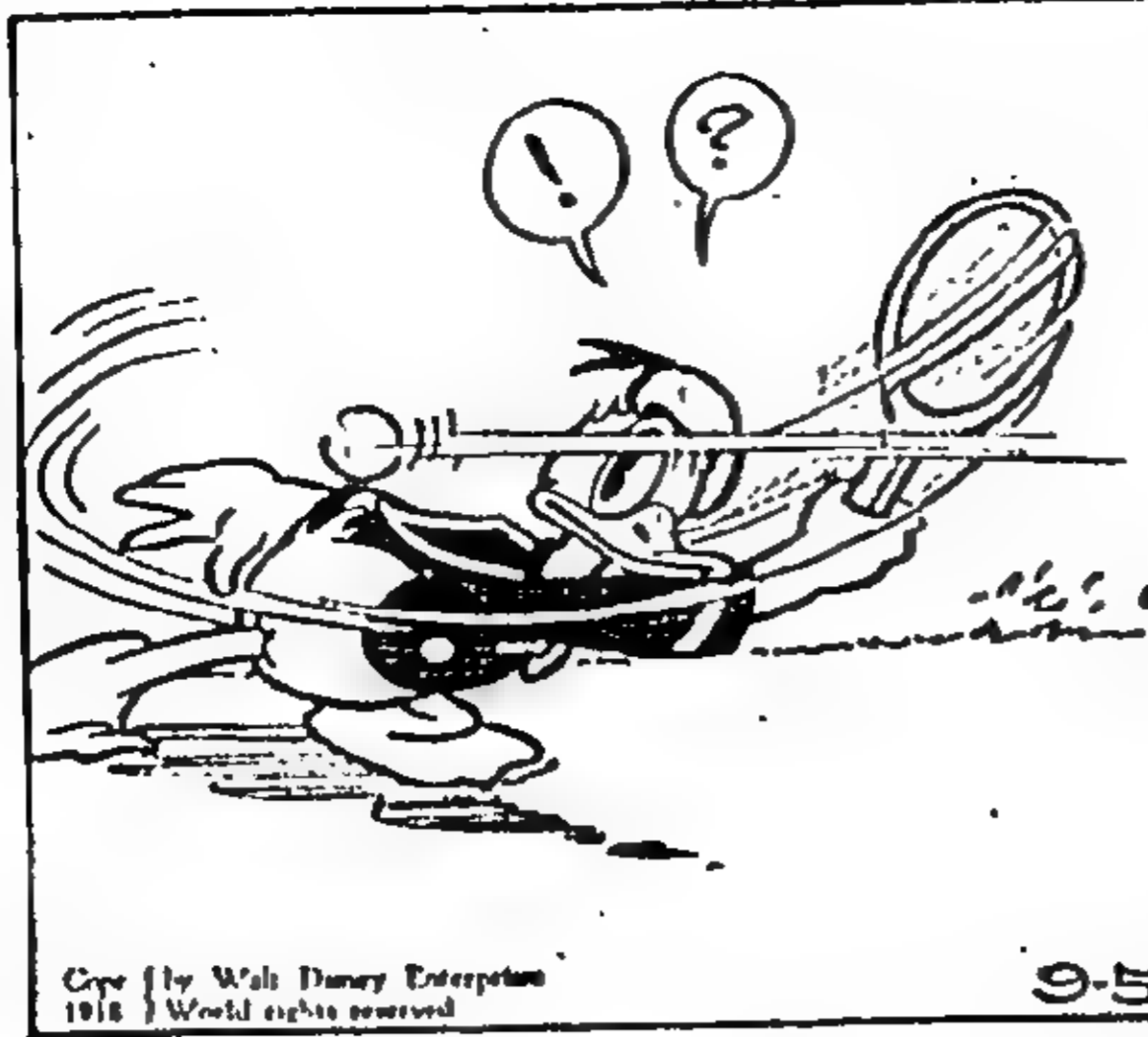
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Chamberlain's Appeasement Policy In Serious Danger

MEDITERRANEAN "SQUEEZE" NOW BEING APPLIED

LONDON, Dec. 4.

THAT MR. CHAMBERLAIN will face one of the most delicate tasks of his career when he goes to Rome in January is the belief of many well-informed observers here.

The prime object of his mission will be to carry his appeasement policy a further step by bridging the ever-widening gap between France and Italy.

At the same time he is obliged to adhere to the pledges given to France to support her refusal of yield to Mussolini's "Mediterranean squeeze" in connection with Tunis, Corsica and Nice.

Some cynical commentators have suggested that Mr. Chamberlain must possess not only the diplomat's finesse, but the agility of a tight-rope walker if he is to reconcile these two objectives.

British quarters are not inclined to regard too seriously Mussolini's territorial claims from France, which are considered here to be so exaggerated that they must merely be a form of applying diplomatic pressure to extract concessions in other spheres such as the Suez Canal and Djibouti.

UNDER CONSTANT PRESSURE

What is particularly worrying to supporters of Mr. Chamberlain's appeasement policy is the apparent determination of the axis Powers to keep the democracies under constant pressure. At the present moment Britain is beginning to feel the increasingly strong "squeeze" from the Berlin end of the axis in connection with colonies, while Rome is applying pressure on France for territorial concessions.

As a corollary Mussolini offers to mediate between Britain and Germany in an effort to improve their relations, while Hitler offers his good offices to end the Franco-Italian impasse.

In each case observers here believe that "mediation offers" will be accompanied by a demand for further concessions as the "price" of intervention.

The British Government is increasingly worried that continuance of this particular form of axis diplomacy may ultimately imperil Mr. Chamberlain's appeasement hopes.—United Press.

FRENCH CABINET TO MEET

Paris, Dec. 4.

Preparing to ask Germany for a "frank explanation" of the reports of Italy's hostile agitation against

Soviet Seamen Arrested, Claim Ill-Treatment

Moscow, Dec. 4.

Allegations of the arrest and ill-treatment of eleven Soviet fishermen, picked up in the sea by two Japanese vessels, have aroused public indignation here.

According to the Soviet authorities, the shipwrecked mariners, after being arrested and ill-treated, were held to effect an exchange for frontier violators detained by the Soviet, instead of being assisted to return home.—Reuter.

WARSHIPS SHELL HAINAN ISLAND

Chungking, Dec. 4.

Ten Japanese warships are shelling various points along the coast to Hainan Island, including Hainan, Yulin, Sian and Teling, according to Chinese reports.

It is believed this is to test the strength of the Chinese defence units.—Reuter.

Shipbuilding Contract Far British Firm

Ankara, Dec. 4.

The Ministry of National Economy has awarded the British yards of Swan, Hunter and Richardson a contract for 11 merchantmen from 900 to 1,800 tons each at a total cost of £1,200,000 payable through the £10,000,000 credits obtained from Britain last May.—Reuter Special.

FOREIGN SHIPS IN YANGTSE TO MOVE

HANKOW, Dec. 5.

THE FIRST movement of foreign vessels from Hankow to take place since the Japanese occupation is scheduled for today, when the U.S.S. Luzon and the French ship, Admiral Charner, are expected to leave for Shanghai, departing at 8 a.m.

No authoritative information is available with regard to the departure of the British gunboats Tern (820 tons), Peccol (310 tons) and Mantle (285 tons).

It is understood, however, they are awaiting the arrival of relief ships from Shanghai before departing, and they may leave within the next fortnight.

The relief force of 110 British blue-jackets which arrived in Hankow last July will be accommodated aboard the British gunboats bound for Shanghai.—Reuter.

North China Swamped With Counterfeit Currency

CHUNGKING, Dec. 4.

LOCAL BANKING circles are worrying about reports from many parts of the Japanese-occupied regions about the wide circulation of counterfeit Chinese legal tender, chiefly notes of the Bank of China and Central Bank.

It is reported that Japanese ronins, White Russians, Formosans, Koreans and Chinese are employed as distributors.

It is also stated that Chekiang, Shantung and Shansi are the chief zones where an enormous quantity of counterfeit coins are circulated.

Reports indicate that the Japanese military authorities are maintaining a systematic manipulation of foreign exchange and Chinese legal tender by producing and circulating a large amount of counterfeit Chinese notes in order to undermine the Chinese financial structure.—United Press.

6,000 MILLION YEN WAR BUDGET

Tokyo, Dec. 4.

Financial circles here predict that Japan's special military budget for the year ending March, 1940 will probably reach 6,000,000,000 yen.

Of this, 4,000,000,000 yen will be allotted to the War Office, and the total will exceed the current year's appropriation by 743,000,000 yen.—Reuter.

PRESIDENT'S SON JOINS THE FILMS

Hollywood, Dec. 4.

The President's son, Mr. James Roosevelt, announces his acceptance of a position with the film industry as vice-chairman of Samuel Goldwyns.

Until his retirement last month, James Roosevelt served as his father's private secretary.—Reuter.

Barter Pact Between Italy And Rumania

Bucharest, Dec. 4.

An agreement concerning commercial payments and barter, signed between Rumania and Italy is expected to lead to a considerable increase in volume of trade between the two countries.—Reuter Special.

BAD MEN OF HUNAN AT LARGE

Famed Bandits Said To Be Refugees

CHUNGKING, Dec. 4.

CHINESE newspapers report that the "Big Eight Pickpockets" of Hunan are among the recently-arrived refugees from Hunan province.

The reports add that the Big Eight are usually called the "Eight Kals" because they all have the same first name of Kall, though having eight different surnames.

It is said that they are very notorious in Hunan, but have never been imprisoned because the Chinese Government has never obtained any definite proof of their crimes.

The newspapers add that Chungking police headquarters have instructed all local police to keep a strict watch-out for the men.—United Press.

CZECHS SEEK TRADE WITH EMPIRE

Prague, Dec. 4.

Hope of increased trade with Britain and the British dominions was expressed by Dr. Hacha, the new President of Czechoslovakia in an exclusive interview with Reuter. Dr. Hacha declared that the continuous development in the exchange of merchandise between the British Empire and Czechoslovakia would prove to be the best support for normalisation of the Czech economic situation.

Besides cultural relations, it is in the field of economic interest that Czechoslovakia's relations with Britain can develop most favourably and durably.—Reuter Special.

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6.30 Closing local Stock Quotations.
6.35 A Variety Programme with Frances Faye, Bing Crosby, Stan Holloway and Harry Roy and His Orchestra.

6.45 Excerpts from Sir Edward German's "Merrie England" and "Tom Jones".
"Tom Jones"—Selection... H. M. Grenadier Guards cond. by Capt. George Miller; "Merrie England"—Vocal Gems... Marion Liddle, Clara Serena, Francis Russell, Dennis Noble, Robert Carr, and Chorus with Orchestra.
6.50 New Light Variety.
Orch.—Blue Devils' March (Williams, arr. Lotter)... The London Palladium Orchestra cond. by Richard Green; Vocal—"I Want Your Heart" (Haydn Wood); Love Everlasting (Friml)... Ina Souez (Soprano) with Orchestra; Vocal—The Hills Of Home (Fox) Oh, Promise Me (de Koven)... Nelson Eddy (Baritone) with Orch. cond. by Richard Green; Vocal—"The Waltz Dream" Selection (O. Strauss)... De Groat and The Piccadilly Orch; Vocal—Mon Meilleur Ami (Berthomieu-Tabet)... Lucienne Boyer with Orchestra cond. by Ina Volpin; Vocal—Ah! Maria Mori (Rusco-Di Capua) Guitaren Spield Auf (Schneider-Siegel)... The Comedy Harmonists with Piano.
9.30 London Relay—The News.
9.50 Songs by Jan Klepura Tenor. Sweet Melody Of Night (film "Give us this Night"); I Mean To Say I Love You (film "This Night"); You Me And Love (film "My Heart is Calling")... with Orchestral accompaniment.

10.0 London Relay—Topical Gazette.
A fortnightly review of things at home. Presented by Pascoe Thornton.
10.30 New Dance Music.
Quickstep—There's Honey On The Moon To-night; Slow Fox-Trot—This Is My Night To Dream (film "Doctor Rhythm")... Victor Silvester and His Band; Fox-Trot—They Say I'm A Gun To Play With; Novelty Fox-Trot—When The Circus Came To Town... Jay Wilbur and His Band with vocal chorus by Sam Costa; Tango—Lorenzo; Rebutin... Orquesta Tipica Francisco Canoro; Fox-Trots—Plastered In Paris; Minuet For A Modern Miss... The Six Swingers directed by George Scott Wood with vocal chorus; Fox-Trot—Fleur Bleue; One-Step—Je Chante... Charles Tract (Vocal) with Wal-Berg and His Orchestra.
11.0 Close down.

ST. ANDREW'S VICAR

The Rev. J. R. Higgs, vicar of St. Andrew's, Waiwan, is due to arrive back from furlough with Mrs. Higgs and their son on Thursday. The Vicar will preach at Evensong next Sunday and there will be a social gathering to welcome him in the Hall afterwards.

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America Must Wake Up To Her Military Needs Says Johnson

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.

AMERICA must wake up to her military needs, declared Mr. Louis Johnson, the Assistant Secretary of War in a broadcast speech to-day.

Mr. Johnson added that the true condition of American defences may be a secret to many Americans, but they were certainly known in the foreign capitals. The United States, which had been rudely awakened from the existence of a false sense of security, by the shocking events of the last few years, found itself in a world where force had begun to play a dominant role.—Reuter Special.

NO LONGER SUPERIOR

Washington, Dec. 4.

Further emphasis on the need for strengthening and improving American defences appears in the annual report of the Assistant War Secretary, which deals specifically with anti-aircraft defence.

The report says that strengthening is necessary to provide even for the minimum safety from attack. "Our former technical superiority in aeronautical development is no longer clearly apparent. The recent advances in other countries have equalled, if not exceeded, our own," observes the report.—Reuter.



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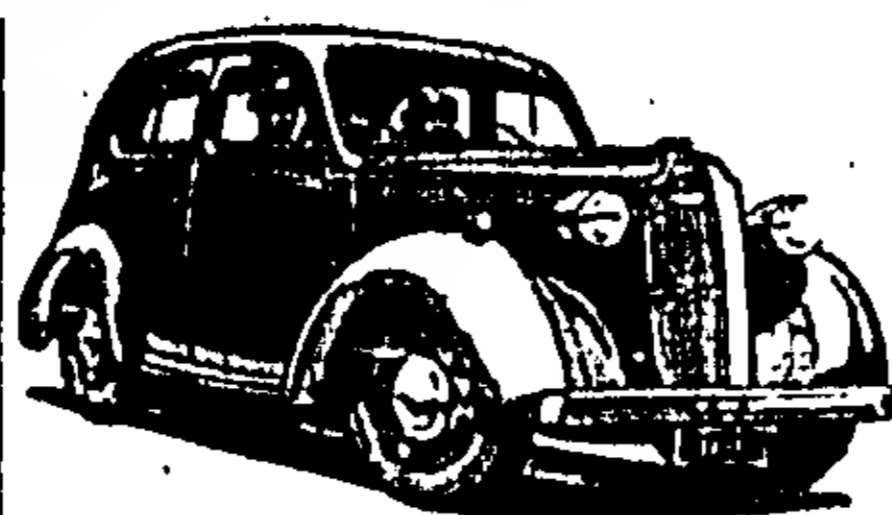
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An Argument Clinched

THE MISLAP to the air-liner

Daedalus is the culmination of a series of accidents to the DH-86 types of planes employed

on the Bangkok-Hongkong route, involving three of the four machines. Fortunately, the accidents have not been attendant with loss of life—the record for the Far East route, in fact, is one of the cleanest of any air route in the world.

The DH-86 machine seems a particularly unlucky type. It was twice banned in Australia following crashes with attendant loss of life.

Most of the mishaps—all, in fact, on the Bangkok-Hongkong service—have demonstrated the danger of take-off and landing in flying.

When the aeroplane is at flying height there is no danger and flying is much safer than travel on the ground. It is the first and last few seconds of an air journey that hold the greatest measure of risk.

If take-off and landing can be made safer in some way, then the number of mishaps will be greatly reduced.

In the case of the DH-86 planes, fire appears to be a hazard. The Dorado almost suffered the same fate as the Daedalus recently, when she caught fire at Kai Tak Airport.

The destruction of the Daedalus surely clinches the argument that Hongkong deserves more than obsolete planes on its vital Empire air route, especially when, in normal times, the British planes encounter the latest type French, German and American machines at Kai Tak. Comparison is obvious and odious.

This Applies To Us

TWO little countries that own big colonial domains have been speaking up. They are Belgium and Portugal.

Says M. Spaak, Prime Minister of Belgium, "We are firmly

resolved to keep the whole of our Congo."
Say the Portuguese, "We discovered our colonies and we mean to hold them."

Belgium has 80,000 soldiers in peace time. Portugal has 85,000. Most people will take the view that colonies will be maintained, not by bold, strong declarations from politicians, but by bold, strong and well-armed soldiers.

And that applies to Britain.

Nowhere does the visitor see privation or hunger.
Berlin's parks and playgrounds are filled with groups of plain, cheerful people who show no signs of dissatisfaction with the Fascist dictatorship which controls their lives, no apparent resentment against a government whose campaign of suppression and regimentation has shocked the world's democracies.

Only those who get behind the scenes know that this outward cheerfulness is the creation of Adolf Hitler's fanatic, little propaganda minister, Paul Joseph Goebbels.

In the most concentrated propaganda campaign the world has ever known, Minister Goebbels has, in the five years of Nazi rule, whipped sixty-five million people into a nation with one mind, one will and one objective—expansion.

To-day the Goebbels' thunder is louder than ever before, for Germany is serving notice that all territories she lost in the World War must eventually be given back to her,—first of all, the million square miles which once comprised her African empire.

To fan the Nazi hatred of Russia, a Goebbels museum is filled with exhibits to show the horrors of communism. Though six years ago, six million Germans voted a communist ticket, every known liberal, to-day is either in hiding, in prison, or dead.

STILL GOING ON, as pitilessly, as brutally, as it did five years ago, is Goebbels' persecution of the Jews.

Sign posts at city limits bear the legends, "Jews Not Wanted"—"Jews Keep Out." Even in parks, if Jews are allowed at all, special yellow benches are set apart, labelled "For Jews."

And on the Christian churches, Goebbels' propaganda machine is to-day bearing down savagely, for these—almost alone—are still offering resistance to the new order, and the Nazi State tolerates no rival authority over its people.

Millions of Germans, who, all their lives have cherished their religion, are learning a new commandment, "To the good Nazi, not even God stands above Hitler."

In regimenting German thought, all radio programmes emanate from the Department of Propaganda, every newspaper prints only what the State wants its people to read, and any letter in the German mails is subject to censorship. For, in Nazi Germany, every instrument that forms thought, communicates ideas, must be used to glorify the Nazi super-state, and its demi-god, Adolf Hitler.

resolved to keep the whole of our Congo."

Say the Portuguese, "We discovered our colonies and we mean to hold them."

Belgium has 80,000 soldiers in peace time. Portugal has 85,000. Most people will take the view that colonies will be maintained, not by bold, strong declarations from politicians, but by bold, strong and well-armed soldiers.

And that applies to Britain.

THIS IS WHAT THE CENSORS banned In Hongkong

TIME MARCHES ON

Censorship in Hongkong of the dialogue of the "Aside Nazi Germany" sequence of a "March of Time" film formed the subject of a question in the House of Commons last week.
To-day, the "Telegraph" publishes, without comment, the much-discussed dialogue, as taken from the script of the film.

IN THE FIVE YEARS since the plan to make Germany self-

sustaining.
In repeated slogans the farmer is told that he is the bulwark of the new nation. His farm becomes a unit in the Reich's subsistence plan. He grows what he is told—or loses his farm, and he must meet his fixed production quota.
But although under this pressure, Germany has in five years come to produce 80% of all the food it needs, it is evident to-day that if the State is ever to become 100% self-sustaining in foodstuffs, it must expand.

And, louder than ever from propaganda headquarters comes the cry that Germany must have more land to grow grain.

As often as good Nazis read in their government-controlled papers that for the Fatherland they must eat less beef and eggs, they hear in a propaganda department broadcast how much worse off other nations are.

COMMENTATOR (over radio in Germany): 65,000 persons are starving and freezing in Cleveland. La Guardia, New York's Jewish mayor controls the city's vice and racketeers. Hundreds killed in riots of Communist strikers in Detroit.

VOICE OF TIME: Special Nazi award for obedience is the privilege of joining low-cost excursions subsidised by the State. Through them every year, over a million Nazis, young and old, spend their holidays travelling through the Fatherland, come back filled with pride of German history, steeped in Nazi culture, and properly thankful to their Fuehrer.

From the time the German child is old enough to understand anything, he ceases to be an individual, and is taught that he was born to die for the Fatherland.

Scarcely out of kindergarten the child must take the place allotted to him in the great Nazi scheme, and from then on think and act as he is told.
When at fourteen, the Nazi boy enters the Hitler Jugend, he receives his first uniform and his first rank in the German war machine. From enthusiastic young gliders, the air force will pick pilots for the bombers and pursuit ships of aerial warfare.

MAN: Hell, Hitler!
GIRL: Hell, Hitler!

VOICE OF TIME: In the markets, prices are government-controlled, kept high to benefit the farmer, who is essential in the Nazi programme—

to care for the babies the army expects her to bear.

GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty



"Oh, bring him along, too—we'll need a fifth for bridge anyhow, to mix the drinks and empty the ash trays."

At eighteen, every young man must serve six months in the Arbeitsdienst where hard work and exercise will build the body to Nazi standard. A labourer, without pay, he works on the Reich's new conservation projects, flood control and soil erosion, and on the new military highways which the government which is extending out to ward every frontier.

Because Hitler believes that too much education is dangerous, the young Nazi gets his only schooling after working hours, a daily lecture of Germany's need for expansion, and the triumph he will share when German armies march into the rich wheatfields of the Russian Ukraine.

FOR HITLER'S two million brown-shirted Storm Troopers, the government provides food in abundance. These young volunteers are the Nazi militia, and proud is the youth who is selected for the black-shirted "Schuttsstaffel"—Hitler's own guard. Thus brought up in a group, trained in a group, the young German grows up to take his place in the most exclusive group of all—the Army of the Reich, in which every able-bodied man must serve actively for one full year—in the reserves for the rest of his life.

Most famed piece of Nazi propaganda is the annual military display at Nuremberg—specially staged to show the world the force of German arms.

In Berlin, the Nazi propaganda bureau is preparing the publicity which, next summer, it is hoped, will draw thousands of tourists to see the picturesquely grimed soldiers of yesterday, to leave much-needed American dollars in the Nazi Germany of to-day.

IN NEW YORK CITY, loudest mouthpiece in this Nazi propaganda drive, is the National Chairman of the Hitler-inspired German American Bund.

He is Fritz Kuhn, former German machine gunner, now a naturalised American citizen, who claims to have "sold" 200,000 U.S. Germans under the Swastika. At his meetings, Fuehrer Kuhn preaches orthodox Fascist doctrines.

(KUHN SPEAKS IN GERMAN)
VOICE OF TIME: Across the United States, Fuehrer Kuhn has established 25 summer camps and drilling grounds where those German-Americans who believe in Nazi teachings can imitate Hitler's mighty military machine.

At New York meetings, designed to promote friendship and end the U.S. boycotts on German goods, uniformed Nazis parade. Their mass appearance doubles the picket line.

When Fuehrer Kuhn, with plans drawn for a new English Nazi encampment, purchases a site in Connecticut, he meets unexpected opposition in a community long proud of its tolerance.

MAN: We have no quarrel with what we term the older order of German people. But we do object and we do protest against the insidious, treacherous activities of Nazi agents masquerading as American citizens.

WOMAN: Mr. Chairman, two of my great-grandfathers and four of my great-grandmothers fought for liberty—so did the other people in this town. I call upon all you people here to drive the Nazis out.

VOICE OF TIME: But the most discouraging blow to the Nazi campaign for U.S. sympathy, comes from the retiring American Ambassador to Germany, William E. Dodd.

DODD: Living in Europe these days is profoundly discouraging. Nazism and Fascism are gaining ground everywhere. This is a world crisis—the greatest crisis for democracy since the first Napoleon.

VOICE OF TIME: Joined together by mutual self-interest, the two strong men of Fascism view the results of their long struggle for dominance in Europe with unconcealed satisfaction.

Behind these leaders lies an unbroken succession of triumphs, military and political, the rearming of the Rhineland, the conquest of Ethiopia, the Saar Basin, the revolt in Spain—and the new Rome-Berlin-Tokyo Alliance.

Around them are other nations already inoculated with the Fascist fever.

But of the Fascist nations in Europe to-day, Germany emerges as the supreme example. Democracy is destroyed. The dictator is a demi-god, who can do no wrong. Propaganda demonstrates the nation's mind. Nazi Germany faces her destiny with one of the great war machines in history. And the inevitable destiny of the great war machines of the past has been to destroy the peace of the world, its people and the governments of their time.

TIME MARCHES ON

CHINESE HONAN-SHANSI BULWARK AGAINST JAPANESE EXPANSION

GENERAL WEI SAYS JAPANESE ATTEMPTS HAVE BEEN THWARTED

New Szechuen Army Of 800,000 Young Men

CHUNGKING, Dec. 4.

GENERAL Wei Li-hwang, right-hand man of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, who is at present directing operations on the Shansi-Honan border, and whose troops are at present forming a bulwark, obstructing the expansion movement of the Japanese troops in South Shansi, interviewed to-day said that the preliminary steps in Japanese efforts to penetrate China's North-West successfully, have been frustrated.

He added that the Japanese forces in Shansi and North Honan, which have been operating for more than a year already, aiming to capture the city of Yuanchu, on the north bank of the Yellow River on the Shansi-Honan border, had been unsuccessful.

He said that without possession of Yuanchu the Japanese forces in Shansi can never effect a junction with the Japanese forces in Honan. He said that while the present strategy was to clear up Honan as a prelude to an attack on Sianfu, the Chinese forces have so far successfully repulsed attacks on North Honan against the pressure of Japanese troops.

General Wei Li-hwang said that during the last three months the Chinese guerrillas in operations in Shansi have killed 30,000 Japanese troops in various locations. He said that the outcome of the Sino-Japanese hostilities cannot be predicted by the same standard as applied to the respective strength of the opposing forces during the world war. He added that the Chinese strategy was based on the paramount principle of protracting war as long as possible. He said that the Chinese strategy consisted of exhausting the Japanese strength by turning their rear into front.

He added that the further Japanese troops penetrate, the better the Chinese forces to carry out their strategy effectively.

He said that in many provinces behind the Japanese lines, including Kopei, Shantung and even Liaoning and Jehol, the Chinese have established firm political and military bases. General Wei concluded by stating that the Chinese troops are not only determined to hold out at Great Yuanchu, but also to utilise it as a base for operations in the Shansi-Honan zone, and also for the recovery of territory in North China.—United Press.

NEW CHINESE ARMY

Chungking, Dec. 5. According to an announcement by the headquarters of the Szechuen military district, 800,000 able-bodied men in Szechuen are being enlisted, and are undergoing military training for a new Chinese army.—Reuter.

STOCK MARKET REPORT

The Hongkong Stock Exchange official summary issued at 12.30 p.m. December 3, says: Market was very firm with an upward tendency, in spite of a further advance in prices to-day, shares continue to be scarce.

Buyers	
Hongkong Bank	\$1,330
Union Insurance	\$100
Douglases	\$50
H.K. & N. Wharves	\$116
Provident (Old)	\$50
Provident (New)	\$3.40
Rauhe	\$9.10
H. & S. Hotels	\$4.40
H.K. Lands	\$34.50
Rumfords	\$8.50
H.K. Tramways	\$10.50
Star Ferries	\$7.10
China Lights (Old)	\$10.70
China Lights (New)	\$10.40
H.K. Electric	\$5.50
Sandakan Lights	\$10.10
Telephones (Old)	\$2.10
Cement	\$15.20
First Firms	\$24
Sellers	
China Underwriters	\$0.75
H. & S. Hotels	\$4.55
H.K. Ropes	\$4.50

Sales	
Hongkong Bank	\$1,330/20
H.K. & N. Wharves	\$117
Provident (Old)	\$50/20
H.K. Lands	\$34.50/50
Antamok	\$8
Asiatic	\$2
Baguio Gold	\$2.10
Coco Grove	\$2
Consolidated Mines	\$2.00/20
Demonstrations	\$2
San Muen	\$1.50
Ships	\$1.10
United Paraffin	\$2.35

Singapore Rubber Factory Burnt Out

Singapore, Dec. 5. Rubber estimated to be worth \$50,000 was destroyed in a fire at a Chinese-owned rubber factory in Singapore Island yesterday.—Reuter Special.

NAZIS TO AVENGE CODREANU

Rumanian Explanation Not Accepted

Berlin, Dec. 4. Nazi posters displayed in all parts of Berlin to-day, have as their slogans: "We will revenge Codreanu through the Jews."

The newspapers have rejected the official Rumanian explanations of the death of Codreanu and his associates of the Iron Guard, and charge that the killings were "cold murder," similar to the assassination of Herr von Rath, the German diplomat in Paris.

The papers declared that it is all part of a plot by International Jewry.

Codreanu, former leader of the Iron Guards, was killed last week, when, according to the official version, he and 12 companions attempted to escape from guards while being conveyed in a train from one prison to another. It is stated that associates of Codreanu staged an attack on the train, and that during an ensuing fight, Codreanu and companions attempted to flee. The Rumanian guards then turned their fire on them, and killed all 13.—United Press.

Ships Tied Up In Le Havre

Paris, Dec. 4. Five thousand dockers and seamen at Le Havre are involved in a strike against M. Daladier's requisitioning order.

Twenty French ships, including the Normandie, and all trans-Atlantic tugs have been immobilised.—Reuter.

NORMANDIE REQUISITIONED

Paris, Dec. 4. It is revealed that the trans-Atlantic liner Normandie has been requisitioned by the Government.—Reuter.

Mills Buy Marriage Licence

Clinton Madison, 20, and Miss Gertrude Jackson, 19, paid for their marriage licence with 1,750 sales tax tokens, each worth 2 mills. The licence cost \$3.50. The couple told Judge Frank P. Vertz they had been saving the tokens for a year.



Prince Bernhard, husband of Princess Juliana, Crown Princess of The Netherlands, likes to do daring deeds. This time he went out in a lifeboat, in exceedingly rough water at Terschelling, and enjoyed it, so he said. He is in centre of the picture, striding ashore while the crew of the "Nicolas Marius" stand by. His attitude indicates he wasn't troubled by sea-sickness.

JAPAN IS DESCRIBED AS PUBLIC ENEMY No. 1

Appeal for Sanctions

China's Hopes For Ultimate Victory

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. IN A SPEECH given at the Harmonie Club, Dr. Hu Shih, Ambassador to Washington, named Japan as the "World's Public Enemy No. 1 amongst the family of nations." He appealed for world-wide economic sanction to curb the Japanese aggression.

He said that China does not expect other nations to join in military activities "but she does feel that a common humanity may yet be strong enough to move men and women of democratic peace loving nations to call a halt in human traffic, the supply of weapons of war and the essential raw materials for manufacturing weapons of war to a nation which has been unanimously condemned by over fifty nations as a violator of solemnly pledged treaties and a breaker of world peace."

He said that China's hopes for an ultimate victory are based on the expectations that, firstly, China will continue to fight as she has been fighting hitherto, and secondly, that "the time may come when the international situation may turn in her favour."

He added that China under the present conditions is "literally bleeding to death," having suffered two million casualties and lost vast territories, including "all her cities generally known to the outside world as centres of commerce, industry, education and modern culture, also two-thirds of her universities have been destroyed, occupied and disabled whilst the number of civilian sufferers is estimated at sixty million.—United Press.

SOLDIERS DEPART FROM FRONTIER

H.K. Police Resume Complete Control

THE WITHDRAWAL of all soldiers from frontier posts was ordered by Army Headquarters in Hongkong at dawn this morning.

All Military Posts, including those which figured in the early incidents, were evacuated at 6 a.m., when the frontier was handed over to the civil authorities.

The 1st Battalion, The Middlesex Regiment, and the Rajputana Rifles, who were drafted to the frontier during the emergency period, returned to their camps at Lowu and Salween concurrently with the military withdrawal.

The border is now completely normal, with increasing numbers of refugees returning to their farms and villages.

ITALIAN SAILORS AND POLICE IN BLOOD ALLEY FIGHT

SHANGHAI, Dec. 5.

BLOOD FLOWED in the famed "Blood Alley" last night in one of the biggest fights in the history of Shanghai, while more than 30 shots were fired when Italian marines and sailors fought French police, and Chinese and Russian policemen, serving with the French police.

An American patrol officer in "Blood Alley" said that at 10 p.m. two Italian marines, "apparently looking for trouble," set on and hit an American sailor.

He stopped the fight and told the Italians to "behave" after which the Italians entered the Frisco cabaret.

Cabaret patrons said that the Italians soon picked a fight with French sailors and British soldiers. The Italians were badly beaten up, and later they returned with a squad of Italian sailors who proceeded to wreck the Frisco cabaret.

The police arrived on the scene and immediately the Italians set on them. The police fired their revolvers into the cabaret's ceiling and also into the air as a warning, due to the fact that they were almost overpowered.

Police reinforcements made a timely arrival and averted a serious spilling of blood after the officers had again fired into the air. American and British sailors who were present in the Alley's cabarets were ordered to leave, the cabarets being closed down at 1 a.m. instead of the usual 5 a.m.

A squad of 40 Italian sailors from the gunboat Charlotte, under officers, rushed to the shore and marched to "Blood Alley," but they were stopped while the officers opened negotiations with police officials, later proceeding to police headquarters.

ARRESTS MADE

Six Italians were arrested, but four were later released and the others sent to hospital.

Ten minutes after the sailors had returned to their gunboat, a truckload of Italian marines arrived and rushed the French police, causing the police again to fire into the air, after learning of unconfirmed reports that the Italians had shot one policeman and a civilian.

Very high French police officials and Italian officers and Consul officials then arrived at "Blood Alley."

The French authorities massed police, and the riot squad was drawn up facing the truckload of Italian marines, who stopped their attack when surrounded by the police.

However, the police withdrew their guard when the Italian officers promised to be responsible for the men not to leave if they were wanted for questioning.

Eye-witnesses said that the Italian marines, after slugging two French policemen, fired pistol shots. As a result French police had picked up cartridge cases which were scattered in the street for examination.

Two French policemen were badly slugged and sent to hospital.—United Press.

Queenie And Her Hawaiians Delight

Successful Opening To Gloucester Hotel Season

Queenie, David, and their Hawaiian girls, enjoyed a triumphant opening to their season at the Gloucester Hotel on Saturday, a huge crowd cheering them and calling for repeated encores, which were given with characteristic generosity.

Queenie was a host in herself, and it was obvious that she has lost no admirers since her last visit to Hongkong. Deliciously entertaining were her saucy interpolations and mimicry. Queenie had the crowd rocking with laughter and applause, while her cheerful personality, expressed in singing, playing and dancing found a ready response from the gay Gloucester Hotel patrons.

The three girls were also big hits. Dorian Roque was vociferously received for her torch-singing, and had to answer repeated calls, while Mary Walter earned continuous applause for her interpretation of the Hula Hula. Nina Warsaw also danced effectively, and with Queenie and David putting across some of their best duets, the entertainment never lagged.

It was quite a memorable night, and assured a very successful season for the popular Hawaiian troupe who will continue to present programmes until the New Year.

DAUGHTER BORN TO FRANCES'S "DAUPHIN"

Brussels, Dec. 4. A daughter was born this morning to the Countess of Paris, wife of the French "Dauphin," son of the Pretender to the French throne, the Duke of Guise.—Reuter Special.

NEW CHINESE ENVOYS

Chungking, Dec. 4. Mr. Hsieh Wei-ling has been appointed Chinese Minister to the Scandinavian countries, while Mr. Wang Ching-shih, at present Minister to Stockholm, will be leaving on December 11 for Warsaw to assume the post of Chinese Minister to Poland.—Reuter.



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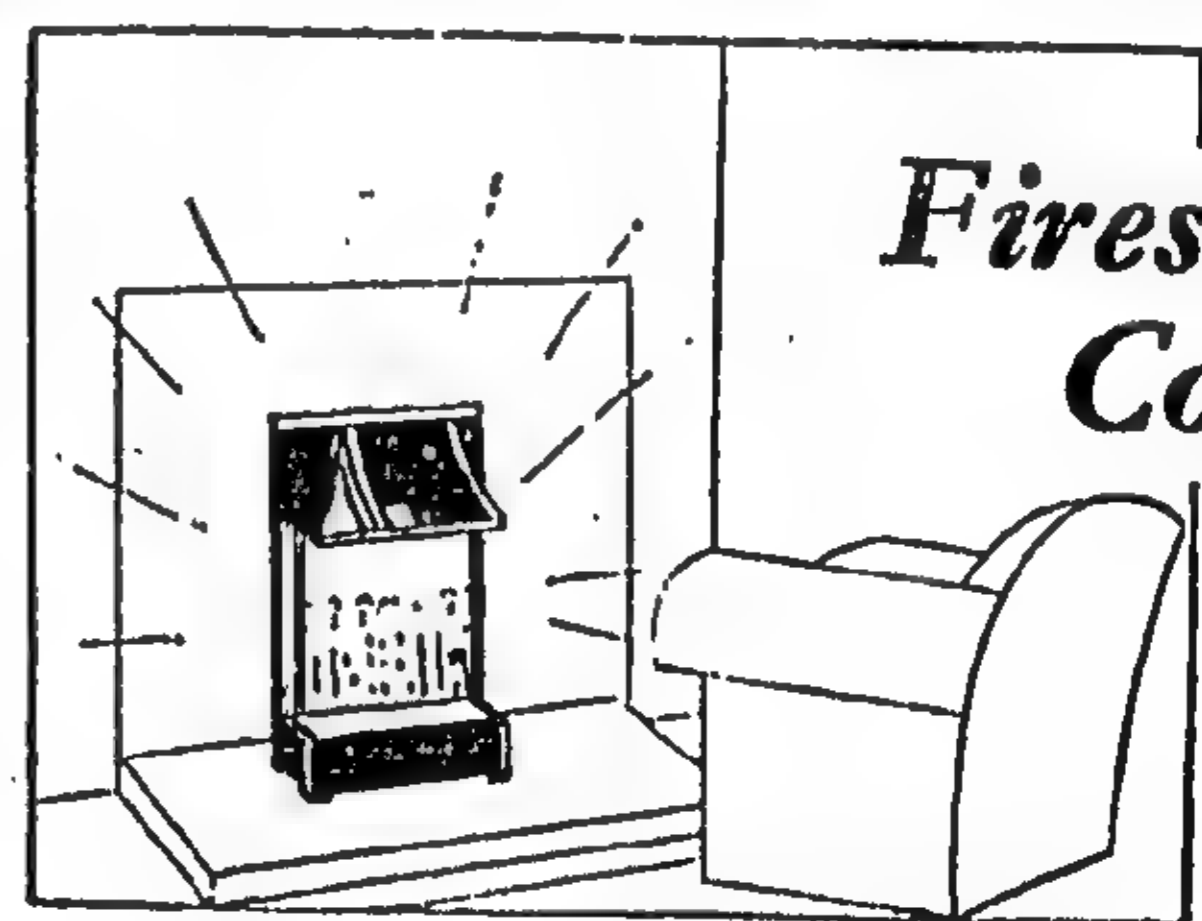
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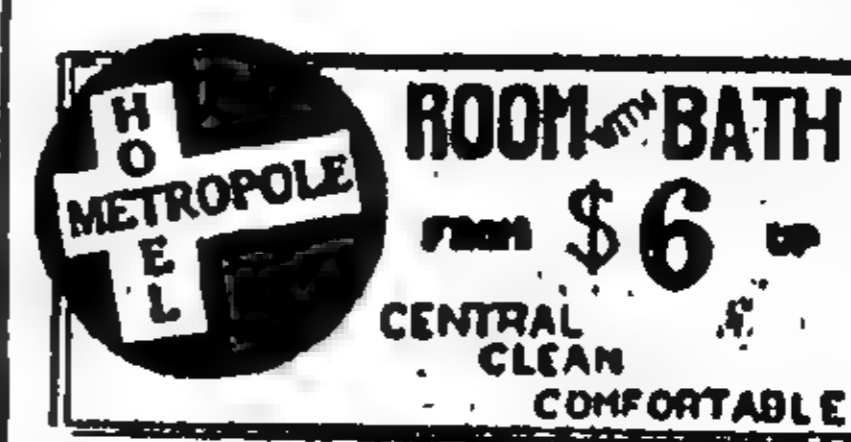
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ROYAL SCOTS PLAY SIXTH DRAWN GAME OF SEASON

SHARE POINTS WITH THE NAVY IN SOCCER TIE

SAILORS FAIL TO KEEP THEIR TWO-GOAL LEAD

(By "Abc")

Giving all the appearances of a better team and scoring two goals in the first half, the Royal Navy were foiled by the Royal Scots in a First Division League football match at Sookunpoo yesterday and were held to a draw of two goals all.

Play was very scrappy in the initial period, neither side being able to show any scientific football; but in the second half when the Royal Scots began to fight back, the game became much more interesting, and even exciting in the last few moments when the issue was still hanging in the balance.

Though fine keeping on the part of Duncan thwarted their efforts on several occasions, the Navy forwards had only themselves to blame for not winning full points. In the last few minutes, they swarmed all over the Scots' goal, but did everything except put the ball in the net.

The Royal Scots' forwards had few opportunities to shine, but when they were in possession they failed to make full use of the ball. Holmes, on the left-wing, was starved, and Munro was far from his best on the other end.

REJUVENATED TEAM

A rejuvenated Scots' team took the field in the second half, and after a period of attacking, Munro crashed in a shot which McAllister appeared to stop, but Hossack was in close attendance and the ball rolled over the line. Continuing to attack, the Scots had more of the game now. Their efforts were further rewarded when a free-kick from the centre was lobbed into the goal-mouth, and after a muffed, during which McAllister was drawn out of his charge, Kane scored the equaliser.

With the issue still in doubt, both teams threw everything into the struggle. At one stage, the Scots were playing very strongly and seemed to have a great chance of turning the tables on the sailors, but after a sustained period of attack, they fizzled out.

Now it was the sailors' turn to take the offensive. For fully ten minutes they kept the ball almost continually in the Scots' half, but all attempts at goal failed. Duncan was the hero of the defence, relieving several dangerous moments with daring interceptions. Once he saved a hot drive from Belts from close-in.

But for Duncan's inspired display at this time, the sailors almost certainly would have walked off the field with full points.

As it was, the whistle blew with the sailors still trying vainly to score the winning goal.

Teams: Royal Navy—McAllister; Findlay, Fisher; Honeywell, Dixon, Rorer; Armstrong, Thoburn, Morrill, Hunt and Betts. Royal Scots—Duncan; Fraser, McDonald; Brown, Frazier, Clarke; Munro, Kane, Hossack, Allen and Williams.

SIXTH DRAW

This was the Royal Scots' sixth draw in ten matches played in the League this season. Their record is now as follows:

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The sailors did not play good football to take their 2-0 lead but because the Scots failed to settle down in the first half. Furthermore a penalty given against the sailors in the first five minutes did not help them, especially as Hunt converted the kick.

Nevertheless, the Navy were definitely the better team in this period and it was not against the run of play when Armstrong put them further ahead with a somewhat lucky goal just before half-time. The ball, lobbed into the goal-mouth by the out-side right, was out of Duncan's reach and hit the wood-work, rebounding into the net off the goal-keeper's body.

During this half, the Navy intermediates were doing good work and had no difficulty in keeping the Scots' forwards in check. Dixon, the centre-half, in particular was prominent with some splendid interceptions, while the backs, Findlay and Fisher, were very steady. As a result, McAllister, in the Navy goal, had comparatively little to do.



Ridden slain by Benny Proulx, Lancashire Chips, winner of the Queensland Handicap two meetings back, gained another success on Saturday, winning the Cranford Handicap in record time. Top right picture shows the winner being led in by Mrs. Torgart. Top left shows Mrs. Pearce leading in King's Privilege with Nedra in the saddle after winning the Blackford Hill Handicap, and below the finish of the race, King's Privilege reaching the post a length and a half in front of Murray River. Tampa Bay and Lucky with half a length between them at the winning post in the first section of the Portobello Handicap are seen in the right bottom picture. Tampa Bay being disqualified, the official placing was Lucky, Scenic View and King's Lead.—Pictorial News.

Royal Air Force Surprised By Radio Team In H.K.H.A. Tourney Winners Scored Three Times In Second Half

(By "The Pilgrim")

The Royal Air Force had a rude shock in the Hong-kong Hockey Association Tournament yesterday when they were defeated by the Radio and Postal Sports Club by 4-1 at Kai Tak.

There was really very little between the two teams during the first half, both defences being in brilliant form, and the score of 1-1 at the interval was a fair indication of the run of play.

On resumption, however, play was monopolised by the Radio men, chiefly as the result of positional changes between Awtar Singh and G. Singh in the forward line. The half-backs also rendered necessary assistance to the attack, Carter in particular being prominent at right half.

After continual pressure by the Radio attack in the last 15 minutes of the game, G. Singh scored twice and M. H. Hassan made the issue safe by adding another goal from a short corner hit.

Except for spasmodic raids, the R.A.F. were kept on the defensive during the second period. Froude, on the left wing, was responsible for the only goal scored by the aviators. Dawson, at centre-half, played a constructive game but received poor support.

Kowloon Indians Lose To Central British Assn.

On their home ground at King's Park yesterday morning the C.B.A. forwards' through pass tactics proved successful against the K.I.T.C. and the team won a Hong-kong H. A. Tournament game by 5-4 in a fast and evenly-fought match.

The attack, with G. A. Fowler, S. A. Fowler and D. Smith, had complete understanding and made full use of their opportunities.

K.I.T.C. were kept on the defensive throughout the first half and some good team-work resulted in N. Whitley, S. A. and G. A. Fowler finding the net in quick succession for the C.B.A.

The Indians missed J. M. Pinto at centre-half and the understanding of the defence was poor. Karnal Singh was pulled up several times for infringing the sticks rule.

With a three-goal lead against them, the K.I.T.C. however, came into their own on resumption and during some short-passing movements in the attack, Parthab and Pyara Singh reduced the deficit to 3-2.

DEFENCE FIRM

The C.B.A. defence was firm, the halves, N. and T. Whitley and E. Fowler, displaying fine understanding and fine tackling. V. Bond was also at right back with his clean hitting.

At the other end, the K.I.T.C.

London Wants Next Olympics

London, Dec. 4. The Amateur Athletic Association, meeting in London, has decided to give the fullest support to the application made by the City of London

CHAMPIONS HELD TO A DRAW

(By "The Pilgrim")

Defences were dominant in the Caer Clark Cup match on Saturday between the "Y" Ladies and St. Andrew's at King's Park, and the result of 1-1 was a fair one.

As usual the champions were the first to take up the attack, though they did not provide play of a very high quality. Mrs. Laidlaw, on the right wing, was always dangerous and so was Miss M. Westcott, on the opposite wing. Miss Barker, at inside right, opened the score after 15 minutes from a nice combined movement on the right wing.

The "Y" defence was now playing better than ever and though Miss A.



Miss A. Greiner she scored the Saints' equaliser.

Fowler was erratic with her clearances, Miss M. McCaw and Mrs. Williams, the halves, did splendid work.

From the interval, the Saints started a series of attacks and after Mrs. Read had saved some good shots, Miss A. Greiner eventually equalised with an easy drive. The ball had crossed well over the goal-line before Mrs. Read kicked it.

Play continued with the Saints playing for all they were worth, but without being able to do anything when in front of goal. Miss P. Gittins and Miss F. Wong had the "Y" defence rattled on many occasions, with Miss H. Reid and Miss Pettigrew giving brilliant exhibitions in the half-back line.

The Saints deserved their point and they were pressing desperately when the final whistle blew.

to stage the 1944 Olympic Games. The application will be considered at a meeting of the International Olympic Committee in June next.—Reuter.

INJURIES WEAKEN ARMY'S FIFTEEN AGAINST CLUB

Triangular Rugby Tournery Game Deteriorates After A Promising Beginning

(By "Fly-Half")

In a game which promised well at the start only to deteriorate after the injury to Lt. Drew-Wilkinson, the Club defeated the Army by 28 points (two goals and six tries) to three points (a try) in the first game of the Triangular Rugby Tournament series played at Sookunpoo on Saturday.

A succession of injuries to Army players considerably weakened the Club's opposition. During a major part of the game, Army played with only 13 men and it says much for them that the score was kept within reasonable bounds.

Club disappointed with a very lackadaisical display in which far too many individualistic efforts were spoiling movements. The forwards played as individuals and not a pack. Handling by the Club three left much to be desired.

For Army to lose Drew-Wilkinson at a stage of the game when they showed every sign of winning was sheer bad luck. Then later when L/Cpl. Garrie had to be taken off, suffering from concussion, the Army's attacking force was considerably reduced.

FORWARDS SHINE

The Army forwards played tirelessly throughout and held the Club pack in the light even although they were packing only six men. Crawford, Berry and Cuthbertson were Army forwards to shine in the open. Berry once more played well for Army at stand-off half and later at scrum-half. The three were never given time to settle down due to the re-arrangements made necessary by the injuries. Gudgeon and Chiverall played courageously, the former being particularly dangerous when in possession.

Deane was conspicuous for Club through constant backing up. Hardly a try was scored without his being in attendance. In every department the forward play was scrappy, particularly in the line-outs, where seldom was the ball caught cleanly. At scrum-half, Henderson gave another splendid display. Cessford was too often caught in possession, but otherwise played a sound game at stand-off half. Bidwell and Grievie were brilliant, especially Grievie whose swerving was very effective. Both wing-men played faultless games. MacGrath had very little to do at full back.

THE SCORING

Club scored first through Bidwell but very soon lost the lead when Drew-Wilkinson broke through to score from a scrum near the Club line. Both tries were unconverted. At this stage, Army were on top, rinking through repeatedly and only bad passing prevented them from going further ahead. Then Drew-Wilkinson was injured and had to leave the field, having wrenched his shoulder. Bee went

from stand-off to scrum half and Gudgeon moved up to stand-off. Crawford was withdrawn from the pack to fill the left wing position. Further tries were scored for the Club by Stewart (2), Grievie (2), Bidwell (2) and Chadwick. Watson converted twice.

Teams: Club—W. M. MacGrath; G. K. Chadwick, H. D. Bidwell (Capt.), W. E. Grievie, D. H. Stewart; F. Cessford and J. R. Henderson; K. A. Watson, K. W. Saitor, E. W. Stout, R. G. L. Oulphant, C. M. Stark, B. O'M. Deane, A. J. G. Taylor and W. B. Richardson.

Army—Pte. Boustead (Middlesex); L/Cpl. Garrie (R. S.), Lt. Gudgeon (Middlesex), Spr. Waite (R.E.), Lt. Chiverall (Middlesex); L/Cpl. Bee (R.S.) and Lt. Drew-Wilkinson (R.S.). L/Cpl. Page (R.A.), L/Cpl. Ross (R.S.), Lt. Crawford (R.C.S.), Spr. Appley (R.E.), Gnr. Evans (R.A.), Pte. Berry (Middlesex), L/Cpl. Sutherland (R.S.) and Lt. Cuthbertson (R.S.).

JUNIOR MATCH
In the junior game, H.M.S. Eagle defeated Club "A" by 10 points (two goals) to six points (two tries).

Club "A" played throughout with 14 men and despite holding a six points lead at half-time were unable to hold the Navy men in the second period. An injury to Lee necessitated his coming off the field. Peers, just back from leave, striped at half-time and assisted the Club.

D. L. Bosanquet scored both tries for the Club. Staples and Lumsden scored for the Eagle, both tries being converted by Hunt.

To-night's Badminton Programme

Two matches are down for decision in the "A" Division of the Badminton League this evening, the programme being as follows: University "B" v. University "A" King's College v. Chinese "A"

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Commendable Keenness Shown by Junior Club De Recreio Cricketers

A resolute innings by G. Gosano, and a somewhat speculative, though enterprising knock by R. Soares, who between them added 57 for the seventh wicket, not only pulled Club de Recreio juniors out of queer street in their friendly cricket match against the K.C.C., at Cox's Road on Saturday, but with J. Gosano, another school boy member of the huge family of cricketers, bowling effectively late in the game, the visitors all but pulled off victory, the K.C.C. having the worst of a draw, with scores of 169 for 7 declared against 107 for 8.

Recreio, a team of considerable talent and formidable virility, played attractive cricket, even taking into consideration the rather inept batting of their opening pair, Gosano's innings was quite a little gem, this young man treating all the bowling alike, and driving with becoming facility. He could be considered unlucky to have missed a half-century, as he was magnificently caught by Baldwin from a terrific straight drive which would easily have reached the boundary, and which have given him his 50. Baldwin took the catch off his own bowling, and once again demonstrated that he is by far the safest catcher in local junior cricket.

PERFECT OFF-DRIVES

Gosano's innings of 47 was studded with seven boundary strokes, three of which came from perfectly-timed off drives, which sent the ball at express speed through the covers, the ball hugging the grass all the way. Except when he ran up against Lay, in the latter's first spell, Gosano appeared as comfortable as if he were batting at the nets, and his innings was a masterpiece.

Soares did not make his 31 runs in the same confident, workmanlike manner, but his knock was none the less valuable, as Recreio had lost six wickets for 67 at the time he joined Gosano. There were some "edgy" boundaries to his credit, but he also made merry at the expense of anything loose, and demonstrated that he could be a punishing bat.

The rest of the seven batsmen made small contributions, and one or two were fortunate to score what they did. Nevertheless K.C.C. had themselves to blame for some of the runs conceded, ground fielding now and then being very ragged.

When the home side started their first innings, they shaped up with confidence. Lay and Mulenby quickly sending up 20. But after Lay had hit three successive boundaries, he got his leg in front of a straight one, and Mulenby quickly followed. Gray helped himself to five shots to the boundary, the first a cracking square cut, and the others on the leg side, and then lost his wicket trying to sneak a quick run. After this Recreio got well on top and wickets fell rapidly. J. Gosano came on and sent back three batsmen for the loss of eight runs, but in the one lovely four through the covers and then made a tremendous hit which only produced three, though a six over the far embankment looked likely, together with Brokenshire managed to play out time.

It remains to be said that although the Recreio attack was keen, only Gosano gave much trouble. Alves was erratic and sent down too many long hits. More than one of the home batsmen threw away their wickets, either through a really bad or an impetuous stroke. The Portuguese fielded neatly, and certainly compared more than favourably with their opponents.

AZUMA DURING THE WEEK-END

Moonlight Of Great Help To Competitors

(By On d'Beach)

Azuma won the Illingworth Cup race, which started from The Royal Hongkong Yacht Club on Saturday evening at 6 p.m. The course was: Cheung Chau (port) Lingling Island (port) Waglan (port) and Hongkong (starboard) with finish at the Yacht Club. Distance 45 miles. As a preliminary to the annual Macao Race it was an excellent one, with light and strong breezes and one's patience as well as sailing ability had to be exercised, especially during the calm yesterday morning—and patience is a very necessary commodity in a yachtsman's makeup.

Azuma must have sailed a very fine race to win with a margin of 1 hour and 40 minutes on her nearest competitor. She is an old friend of mine and I know she can travel, but the victor, Charlie Cooke, who sailed her, certainly made a job of it. Thirteen yachts crossed the line, practically all in a bunch. It was one of the better starts and I do not think thirty seconds separated the first and the last boat. This speaks well for the keenness of the helmsmen since on a race that may last anything from 12 to 24 hours, I sailed in "Marander", a new and somewhat unknown addition to the fleet. The run down the Harbour was an uneventful one except that there was a good deal of sail shifting from one gybe to another, and the fleet went through Sulphur Channel still very much bunched together. The wind lightened outside Green Island and the fleet began to spread out a bit. We were still carrying spinnakers but at the south point of Cheung Chau these were handed and Gosano took their place to the benefit of Marander who is not so good at running. The wind freshened a bit and Marander stepped out. We overtook Tyrone and two fourtonners at

Lingling and saw the lights of a couple of other yachts close ahead. Quest with two others had been left behind at Cheung Chau.

BEAUTIFUL SIGHT

The wind had freshened still more and we met some swell as we drew near the S. E. point of Lingling. Fine moonlight and it was really a beautiful sight to see the yachts turtling through the water. On clearing Lingling, the wind increased sufficiently to take in the Genoa and set the ordinary working jib. We now had a dead beat for our next mark, Waglan, the wind being N. E. At times we did some hard sailing and we got further out the seas increased, although not sufficient for us to take any onboard as Marander is a very dry ship. Occasional spray would come over. We were travelling very fast through the water and it was grand sailing. We had decided to keep as near Lamma Channel as possible, so shortly after passing Lingling we went over to starboard tack and stood right on to Lamma. We met a couple of yachts, but as the moon at this time had retired behind a heavy cloud, we could not identify any of them. The lights of Hongkong were twinkling in the distance as we finally tacked towards Stanley Peninsula. The wind came good and strong out of Stanley and Tytam Bays. The moon had been very good to us and apart from a few momentary disappearance behind clouds, had done its best to lighten our way; but as we drew near Stanley it finally went to sleep. There were many fishing sampans about with their bright lights blinding us, but a junk ahead acted as guide as we were sea serpentine our way through the numerous craft.

WIND HOLDS

Opposite Pui To we met a yacht on her return voyage. This was about 3.30 a.m. and as we could not make her number, we hoped she would prove the leading one. Near Beaufort Island and Waglan we found the usual confused sea, but the wind held. We finally rounded Waglan at 5.35 a.m. in company with U and I who had suddenly appeared from southward.

Then we made one of those silly mistakes, one of the many may be put to the debit of "local knowledge". As we have cruised round Hongkong and its numerous islands for many years and know these waters better than our front door, we did not bother to check up our course from Chart or compass, but gaily sailed on, having "infinite confidence" in our "local knowledge". But when Lam-tong light was staring us in the face from starboard and Cape Collinson was winking at us over the port bow, we could only curse ourselves for a pair of idiots. So we had to sail back round Cape d'Aguilar again and this little detour must have cost us at least an hour. The wind lightened as we once more crossed Tytam Bay, this time from East to West, and we just drifted past Stanley and Repulse Bay. We could see U and I, Yanthee and a fourtonner ahead, all becalmed with their sails "up and down". Outside Aberdeen there was not a breath of air and as the skipper had to be back in town by noon and as it was now already nine o'clock, it was decided to abandon the race and get ashore at Aberdeen. We found Tyrone going into Picnic Bay, obviously also having given up the race. On our way to town, we could see U and I becalmed near Alligator Island. The Curlew outside Aberdeen and the Yanthee off Pokfulam; but a light breeze was then getting up and we began to wonder if we had been too quick in abandoning the race.

The Curlew was the only four-

tonner to finish the race and she takes second place on corrected time. She was very pluckily sailed by Capt. Tracey. Yanthee, Capt. Dibley, was placed third.

The results:	Finished	Corrd.	Pos.
Azuma (C. J. Cooke)	08.57.21	08.40.52	1
Curlew (Capt. Tracey)	12.31.06	10.21.28	2
Yanthee (Capt. Dibley)	11.52.02	11.16.18	3
Norena (P. C. M. Sedgwick)	10.30.16	11.43.03	4
U. & I. (C. B. Collie)	12.20.23	12.02.55	5
Punal (L. D. Fringle)	14.12.35	12.21.26	6
Wanderer (D. W. Wagstaff)	14.44.20	14.24.03	7
Quest, Tyrone, Marander, Tai Wan Shan, Typhoon, Tern did not finish.			

SPORT ADVTs.

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When the Army juniors met the Indian R.C. 2nd XI earlier in the season, the former won a low-scoring game, thanks to the splendid bowling of C.Q.M.S. Patterson. The teams met again on Saturday, but this time the Indians were successful by eight wickets.

With five left-handers in the Army team, the Indians were somewhat disorganised in the field but did well to dismiss the soldiers for only 60 runs. The medium-to-fast bowlers did not have a good day, and it was left to two-spinners, Y. T. Barma and A. Curreen, to take most of the wickets.

Lieut. Weedon, the Army team's best bat, was bowled before he could settle down, and this was in a great measure responsible for the side's comparatively low score.

Had the Army fielding been up to scratch, the Indians would not have won as easily as they did. Several catches were dropped—a couple being "sitters"—and meanwhile, with M. R. Abbas scoring 38 and H. T. Barma 37 retired, the necessary runs were made with the loss of only two wickets.

Patterson bowled well at times without much luck, but he was concentrating far too much on speed at the expense of length and direction.

Leading Individual Performances

The following were the best individual performances over the week-end:

BATTING	
Lieut. Mannels (R. Navy) v. I.K.C.C.	94
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G. P. Longfield (I.K.C.C.) v.	

Navy	
F. E. Lawrence (C.S.C.C.) v. R.A.M.C.	63
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R. Soares (Recreio 2nd XI) v. K.C.C.	31
*Not out.	
*Retired.	

BOWLING	
R. Singh (University) v. Queen's College	7 for 10
D. S. Roby (I.K.C.C. 2nd XI) v. Police	6 for 25
R. E. Lee (K.C.C.) v. Recreio	6 for 33
D. Craff (D.B.S.) v. C.C.C.	6 for 47
F. M. Haynes (I.K.C.C.) v. Navy	5 for 14
C. Haynes (C.S.C.C.) v. R.A.M.C.	5 for 29
Lieut. Kyro (Navy) v. I.K.C.C.	5 for 47
N. Singh (Q.C.) v. University	5 for 52
N. D. Lloyd (K.C.C.) v. Recreio	4 for 27
A. M. Ramjani (I.R.C.) v. Army	3 for 5
M. P. Prata (Recreio 2nd XI) v. K.C.C.	3 for 8
J. Gosano (Recreio 2nd XI) v. K.C.C.	3 for 8
F. A. Curreen (I.R.C. 2nd XI) v. Army	3 for 9
Lieut. Fargus (Army 2nd XI) v. I.R.C.	3 for 20
Y. T. Barma (I.R.C. 2nd XI) v. Army	3 for 21

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This is the sort of decor that a man respects. It is neat, not gaudy, accentuates good points without elaborating them too much. This girl's obviously no blue-stocking, but she's worth getting to know, because she hasn't tried to make her charms or her intelligence too obvious.

On the One Hand

YOU may think it's a good-line to look super-intelligent, well read and a straightforward "good fellow," but if underneath all that you want to be attractive too it's no good dressing yourself up like the lady top left.

It won't persuade any man that it's worth while getting to know you at all, let alone trying to discover your really excellent qualities.

It's sad, but true, that a man is attracted by a pleasing appearance in the first place, and not by the intelligence which may shine through your eyes.

No girl can afford to go without make-up entirely, dress in unbecoming clothes and let her hair fly loose. Men still like to think their women gentle and beautiful—if they're brainy as well, all to the good, but they don't want to be unduly impressed with the fact.

On the Other Hand

YOU don't want to go to the other extreme. Lady top right is the same as lady top left, believe it or not, and she's made herself look like a good-time girl.

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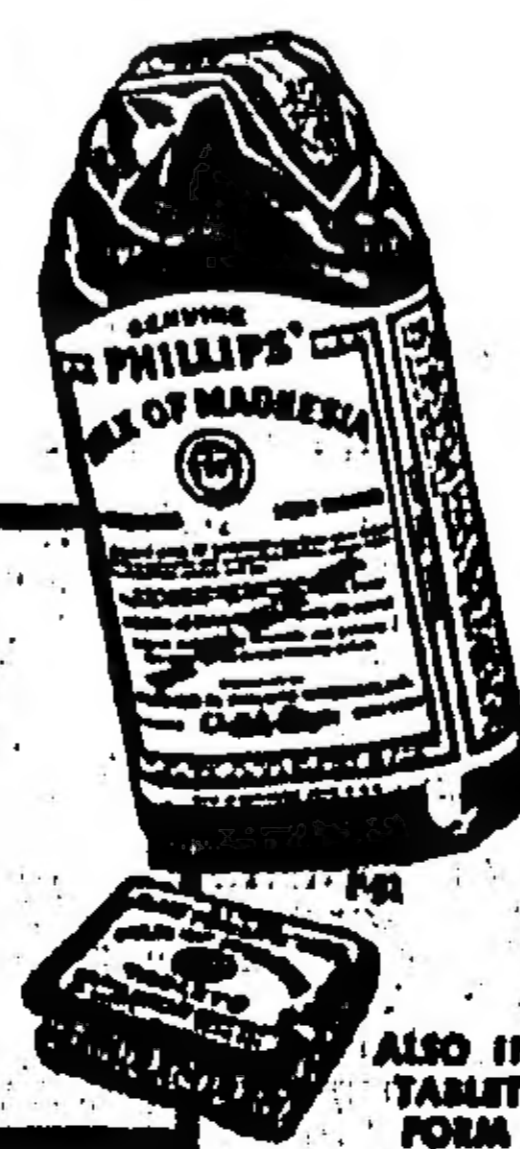
When you buy clothes, remember it's as easy, and takes no more time or money to buy those that make the most of your figure and colouring.

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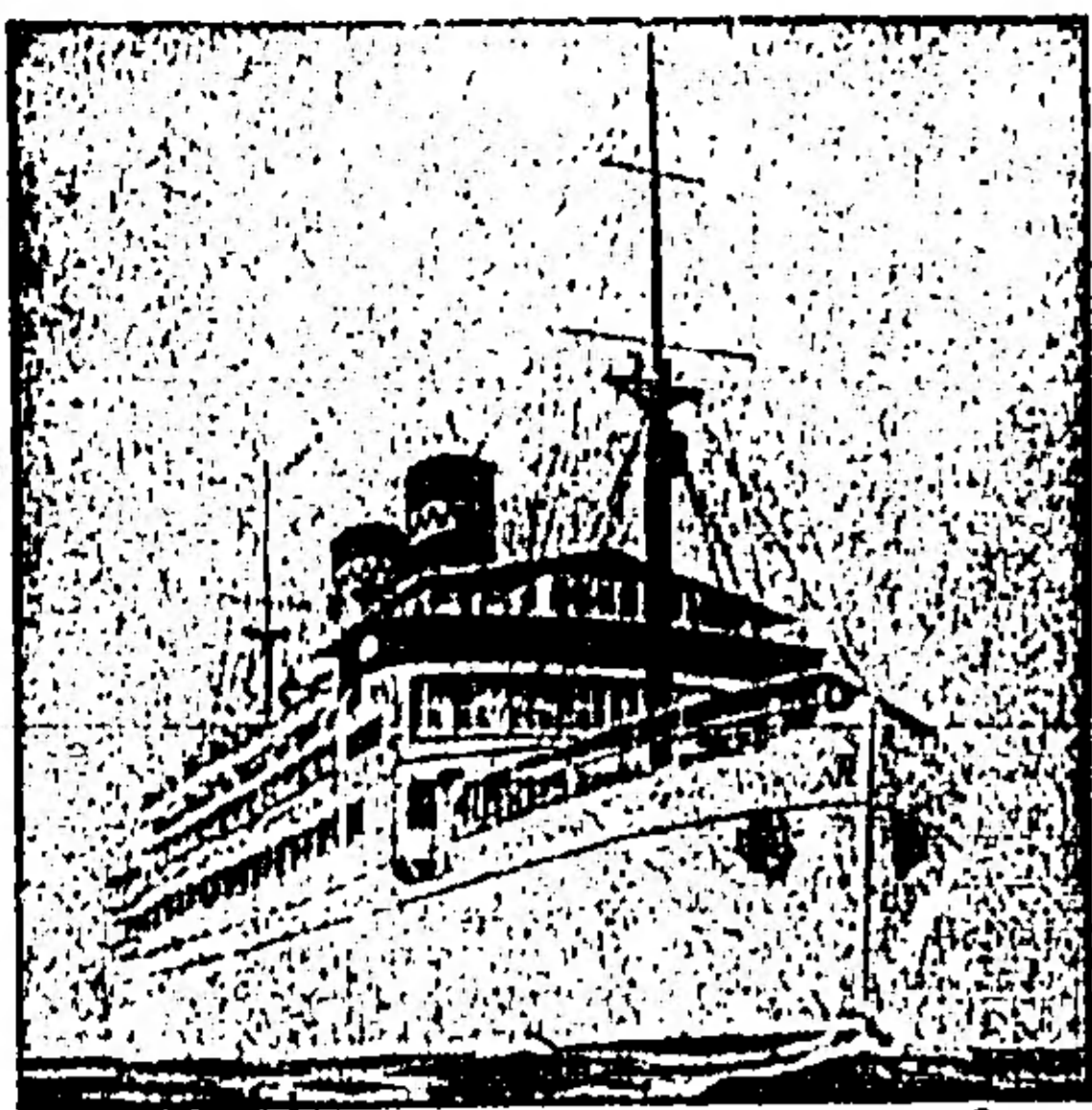
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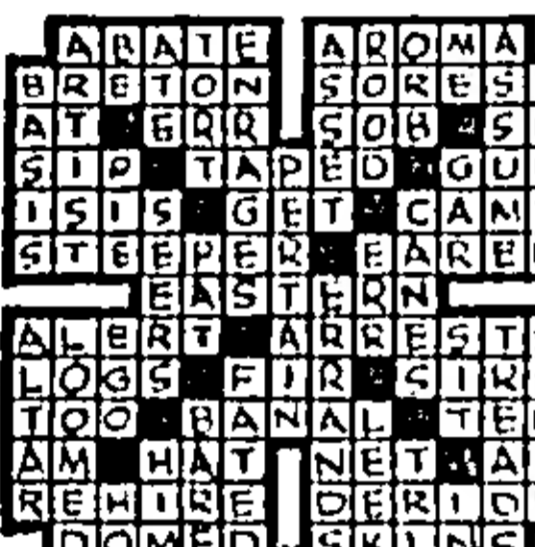
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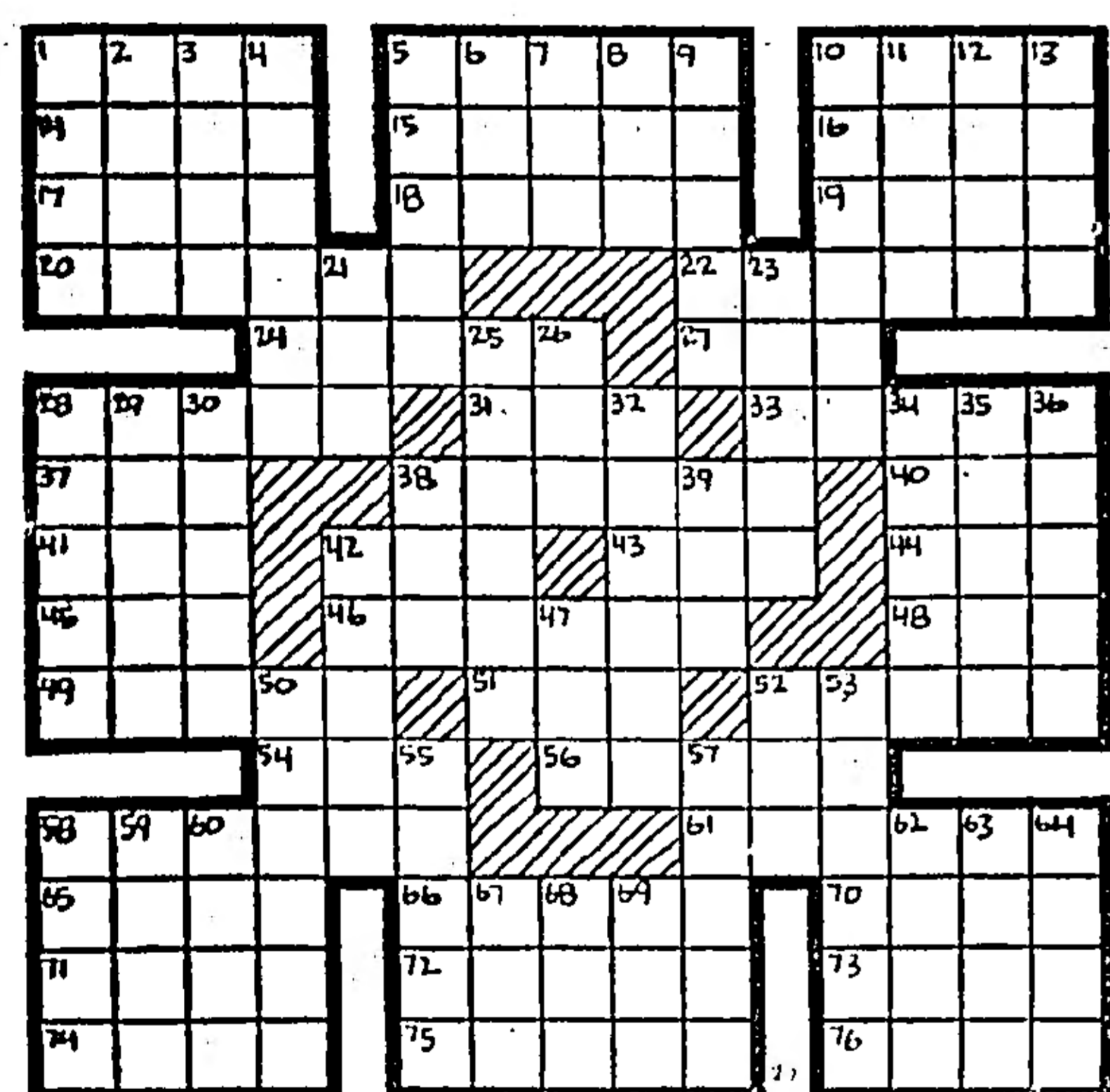
ACROSS

- 1—Country of Asia
- 2—Town in Saxony
- 3—Chief Justice U. S.
- 4—Fruit
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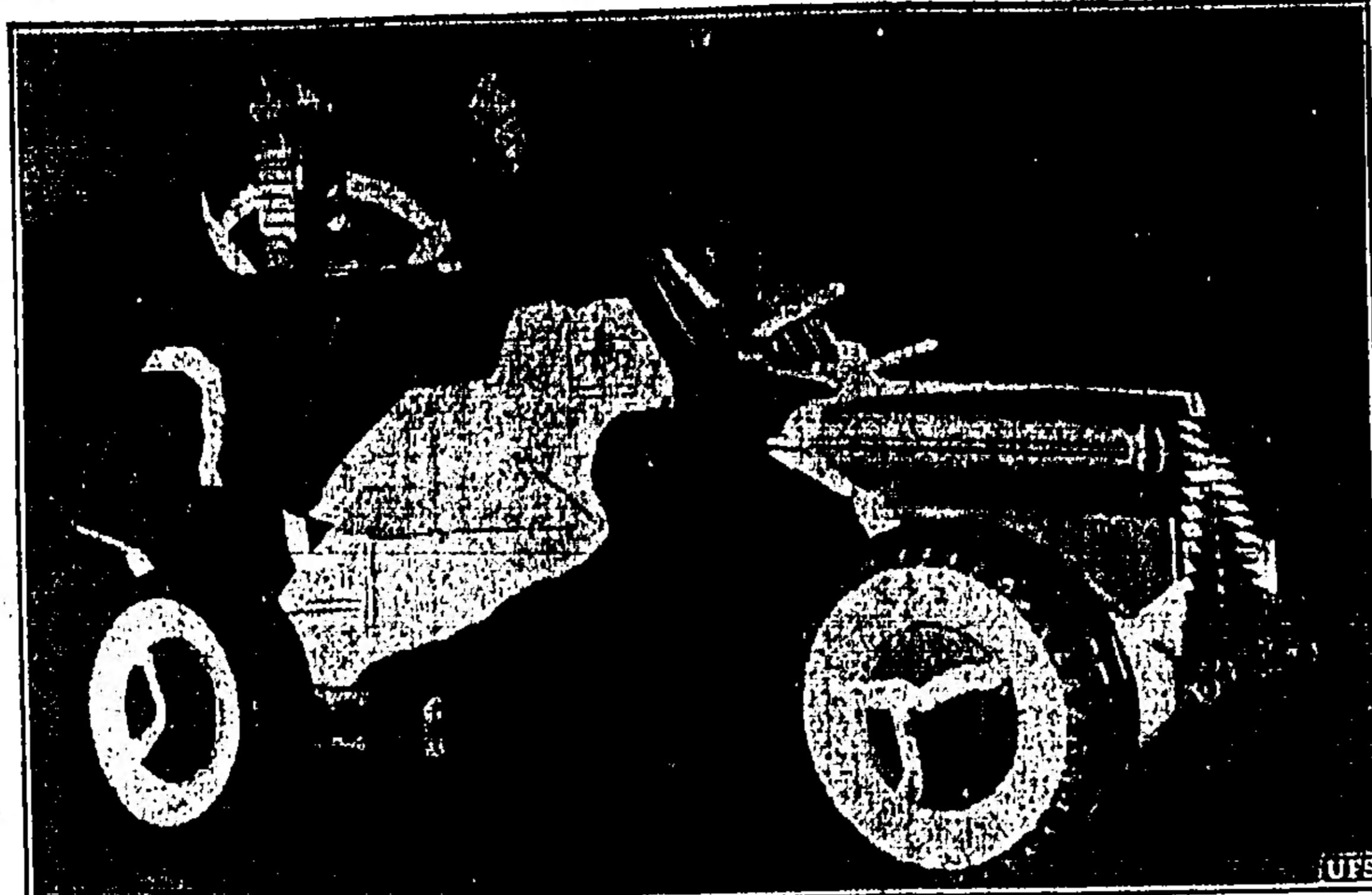


DOWN

- 1—Man's given name
- 2—Fruit (robotic)
- 3—Fruit



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Joseph Buerckel, Nazi Commissioner for Austria, who announced in a Vienna speech restrictions on Catholics, assailing Cardinal Innitzer and the "political clergy." He said the church wantonly attacked the Government.



Theodor Cardinal Innitzer, 62-year-old Archbishop of Vienna, wounded in the forehead by flying glass after Nazi mobs partly wrecked the archiepiscopal palace in the Austrian capital. Riots were said to be in retaliation for a sermon by the Cardinal in which he criticised the Nazis.



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and take them by lunch.

The men will be taken to the recently erected Government refugee camp adjacent to the Kowloon Midway School, but a wire fence will be built around first to prevent escapes.

Guards will also be on duty.

PRISONERS OF WAR

Removal from Li Hong To Kowloon Camp

One of the Government refugee camps is to be given over for the use of the Chinese soldiers who have been interned since they crossed the New Frontier during the hostilities at Shumchun.

At present the 800 soldiers are on board the steamship Li Hong in Kowloon Bay where they are treated as prisoners. Since they were interned, another 200 soldiers have given themselves up.

It is understood that the Li Hong has been laid up so long that she would need some overhaul before being suitable for use again. The kitchen and domestic arrangements for housing such a large body of men until the termination of the war were unsatisfactory. The caterer has had to prepare meals for the men ashore.

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